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Specializing in Non-GMO, Non-Hybrid, Non-Treated Heirloom and Open Pollinated Vegetable, Flower, and Herb Garden Seeds

Product Catalog

More Than 500 Seed Varieties!

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One of the most inspiring things in life is to enjoy the beauty of God's creations in the great outdoors. The gardener knows this joy personally. This joy one experiences in gardening is a gift from the Creator of all things in His perfect love and care for us. When we study nature or grow things in our garden we can see His handiwork. When you watch a plant grow from a seed in the perfect order given it by God, think with wonder of our God, it is amazing! All of Creation was given to us as a gift. Let us thank Him in all things! May the joy of gardening be yours this season!

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Our greatest weakness lies in giving up. The most certain way to succeed is always to try just one more time.

- Thomas Edison

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Why Save Seeds From Your Own Garden?

Did you know that saving seeds from your own garden allows you to selectively save seeds for superior plant performance in your local conditions? By making selections each year of the best plants from your garden to save seeds from, you can effectively supply your own seed needs, over time, with seeds that will be perfect for your garden! Flavor, pest and disease resistance, early bearing, and size are among the many characteristics that can be enhanced by careful selection over a period of years.

Remember!

Only seeds from Heirloom or Open Pollinated Varieties can be saved, Hybrids will not be true-to-type if they are replanted!

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Happiness is to be found only in the home where God is loved and honored, where each one loves, and helps, and cares for the others.

- St. Theophane Venard

Asparagus

Asparagus is a perennial that is best adapted to sandy soils in moderate climates. For best production plants prefer deeply dug, well-prepared bed, with lots of organic matter. Can start seeds indoors 2-3 months before your last frost (for best results), or direct sow outdoors when soil has warmed. Soak seeds in warm water for 24 hrs. before planting. Plant seeds $\frac{1}{4}$ " deep in sterile seeding mix.

Germination should occur in 14-21 days in soil 65-80°F. Set out seedlings 10-18" apart, in full sun . Harvest will begin in 4th year when planted from seed.



Mary Washington Imp.

(Asparagus officinalis)

A very hardy and productive open-80-90 days. pollinated variety, producing strong, uniform, tender, medium-sized stalks. Mary Washington Improved Asparagus has the same great flavor as the original Mary Washington, with better yields, and tighter tops. Long

cutting season. Somewhat rust-resistant. Freezes well.

Item No. AsMWI 25 Seeds per pack

UC-72 (a.k.a. Mary Washington UC-72)

(Asparagus officinalis)

110-120 days. Developed by the University of California-Davis, this open-pollinated variety is a Mary Washington-type asparagus. The UC 72 Asparagus sets heavy yields of dark green spears, a little larger than Mary Washington Asparagus, with fairly compact heads. Good disease resistance. Resistant to Fusarium Wilt and Rust. More heat and drought tolerant than other asparagus varieties. Excellent choice for home gardeners and market growers alike.

Item No. AsUC72 25 Seeds per pack



Sweet Purple

(Asparagus officinalis)

80-90 days. (Asparagus officinalis) Sweet Purple is more tender than green Asparagus with a sweet and nutty flavor in extra-large, deep purple spears. 20% higher sugar content than the green asparagus.

Item No. AsSP 25 Seeds per pack

Beans - Bush

Sow beans 1-2" deep, 2-6" apart, in rows 18-36" apart, in full sun, after danger of frost. Soaking in water 1-2 hours before planting speeds germination. Germination occurs in 4-16 days in soil 60-85°F. Provide support for pole bean varieties. For snap beans, harvest when beans are 3-6 " long. For dry beans, leave pods on plants until pods are dry, brown, and crisp, and beans are hard and rattle in pod, if more drying is needed when danger of frost has arrived, pick pods or pull entire plant and hang upside down to dry further.



Black Turtle

(a.k.a. Black Turtle Soup, Black Bean Soup, Black Mexican, Frijoles Negras, Black Spanish, Tampico Beans, Venezuelan Beans, and Mexican Blacks) (Phaseolus vulgaris)

85 - 105 days. **Dry Bean** Originating in Mexico and the Caribbean, the Black Turtle Heirloom Bush Bean is popular with rice and in soups, makes delicious refried beans, refritos, black bean dip. Black Turtle

Beans are a great addition to chili or baked dishes, and a favorite in Mexican, Southwestern, or "Tex-Mex" dishes, and also in Cajun or Creole cuisine. The bean that is typically known as "black beans". This bean is an important ingredient in many dishes of Latin American countries. It is the main ingredient in Moros con Cristianos in Cuba; the bean used in feijoada, the national dish of Brazil; a must have ingredient in Gallo Pinto of Costa Rica and Nicaragua and Pabellón Criollo in Venezuela. These beautiful oval shaped beans are jet black, cooking up to a rich dark brown. They can be eaten as snap or string beans when young. Stores well as a dry or soup bean. Hardy plants grow to 18-24", and are drought and heat tolerant, some Bean Beetle resistance and good disease

Item No. BbBlT 50 Seeds per pack



Blue Lake Bush 274

(Phaseolus vulgaris) 54-61 days.

This dark green bean is a favorite for canning and freezing, a high quality bean with fine texture. The Blue Lake Bush 276 Heirloom Bush Bean's small 12-22" plants set

forth heavy yields of dark green, round, 5 1/2-6 1/2" pods, over the entire season. This variety originated from the Pole Blue Lake and was developed in 1961. Resistant to BCMV and NY15, widely adapted to

varied growing conditions.

Item No. BbBLB 50 Seeds per pack

Beans - Bush (cont.)

Contender

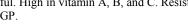
(a.k.a. Buff Valentine, Early Contender, Contender Stringless)

(Phaseolus vulgaris)

40-55 days. Earlier than most beans and very productive, this popular variety was introduced in 1949. The Contender Heirloom Bush Green Bean

is great for cool, short-season climates, but also does well in heat, well adapted to varying growing conditions. Dark green 12-20" plants set forth good yields of med-green 6-8" pods, very flavorful. High in vitamin A, B, and C. Resistant to BCMV, NY15, and

Item No. BbCon 50 Seeds per pack



Great Northern

(a.k.a. Montana White, White Marrow)

(Phaseolus vulgaris)

Dry Bean Obtained from a Hi-65-90 days. datsa Indian, Son of Star, by Oscar H. Will in the early 1880s, this heirloom bean seed is a long-

time staple for soups and baked beans. The Great Northern Heirloom Bush Bean's hardy dark green 24-26" plants, set forth great yields of 4-6" pods, bearing 5-6 long white seeds, with excellent flavor and hearty texture. The fine beans are more tender and cook up faster than Navy Beans. Grows very well in the Midwest and the North. High in nutrients. Drought resistant.

Item No. BbGrN 50 Seeds per pack



Calypso

(Phaseolus vulgaris) 70 - 90 days. Dry **Bean** Calypso bush bean is a good baking bean with similar texture to Yellow Eye. Plants grow to about 15" tall and have blue and white seeds that dry to black and white. 4 to 5 seeds per pod. Item No. BbCal 50 Seeds per pack



Jacob's Cattle (a.k.a. Trout, Couch Dog, Dalmation, Anasazi, Appaloosa) (Phaseolus vulgaris)

80 - 100 days. Dry Bean A popular New England favorite with legendary Native American roots. As the tale goes the Jacob's Cattle Bush Bean was given by Maine's Passamaqouddy Indi-

ans as a gift to Joseph Clark, the first white child born in Lubec, Maine. Many of the nicknames are derived from the markings of these plump, kidney-type beans, white with maroon speckles and splashes. Plants grow to approx. 24", producing good yields of 4-5" pods. Delicious beans with an earthy, full flavor, boasting a slightly sweet aftertaste, holding up well to seasoning, and of fine velvety texture when cooked. Prized for use as dry beans, but also great as shelly beans when harvested earlier. Does well in cooler climates as well as hot or dry conditions. Item No. BbJaC 50 Seeds per pack

> No day is so bad it can't be fixed with a nap!



Holy Spirit

(a.k.a. Haricot Saint Esprit á Oeil Rouge, Holy Spirit in Red Eye, European Soldier Bean, Human, Johnson Bean) (Phaseolus vulgaris) 75-100 days. **Dry Bean** A popular New England heirloom bean dating back pre-1800s, named for its maroon markings surrounding the hilum or "eye" of the bean, resembling the Holy Spirit or an 18th century European Soldier. These tender and meaty beans are

delicious for baked beans, in soups, stews, or slow cooker recipes. The Saint Esprit á Oeil Rouge Heirloom Bush Bean's hardy 18-36" plants produce high yields, even in the North. Excellent Flavor!

Item No. BbHoS 50 Seeds per pack



Kidney, Dark Red (Phaseolus vulgaris)

90-100 days. Dry Bean Red kidney beans originated in Peru, where Indian traders introduced them to Central and South America, and Spanish explorers later brought them back with them to Europe upon returning from voyages to the Americas. The most popular bean used in chili, the *Dark* Red Kidney Bush Bean is also commonly known as "chili

bean" for it's traditional use in Chili Con Carne, or "chili" as it's called for short. Hardy, vigorous 20-24" plants set forth heavy crops of 6" pods, containing 5 maroon/mahogany colored bean seeds each. Red kidney beans are an excellent source of protein, iron, folate and fiber. Stands autumn rains well. Resistant to mold. Caution: Do Not eat Kidney Beans raw or as sprouts. Raw Kidney Beans and Kidney Bean sprouts contain lectin, a glycoprotein that can bind to sugars in membranes, causing changes in the membrane that lead to agglutination (clumping of cells) and mitosis (cell division). In the digestive tract, they bind to intestinal cells and block absorption, causing nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea lasting about 4 hours, after ingesting as little 4 raw Kidney Beans. The Kidney Bean lectin (hemagglutinin) is destroyed by thorough boiling for 10 minutes, after which water should be discarded and replaced before cooking, whether simmering or cooking in a slow cooker/crock pot. Item No. BbKDR 50 Seeds per pack



Navy (a.k.a. Boston Pea, White Navy, Small White Navy, White Bean, Navy Pea Bean) (Phaseolus vulgaris) Dry Bean The most widely known bean 85-100 days. among the white bean types, the Navy Bush Bean takes its name from the fact that since the mid-1800s this bean has been a staple food for the U.S. Navy. Plants grow to 16-24", yield high amounts of 4-6" pods, with small, oval white

beans. Smooth texture when cooked and very filling, will not mush up when cooked. A great addition to soups, baked bean recipes, and bean stews. Firm skin stands up to reheating well. Makes a delicious Ham and Bean Soup! Favorite bean for Boston Baked Beans. High in fiber and protein, a good source of folate, manganese, and Vitamin B1. Great dry bean, stores well. Some resistance to Anthracnose and Bean Mosaic Virus.

Item No. BbNav 50 Seeds per pack



Vermont Cranberry

(Phaseolus vulgaris) Dry Bean 75 - 98 days. Dry Bean Vermont Cranberry is a popular pre-1876 New England heirloom bean that has the color and shape of a cranberry. With 5-6 seeds per pod, Vermont Cranberry has a unique sweet taste, is hardy, and easy to shell. Makes an excellent shell or dry

Item No. BbVeC 50 Seeds per pack

Beans - Bush (cont.)



October (Phaseolus vulgaris)

85 - 90 days. Dry Bean A Native American bean variety which dates back to the 1830s, grown by the Cherchei Nation in Tennes-

see. The *October Heirloom Bush Bean* is a beautiful white bean with lovely maroon wren's egg markings. This strain comes from a Cherokee Indian descendant. A very prolific bean variety, a great staple for those long winter months! Stores well.

Item No. BbOct 50 Seeds per pack



Purple Queen (Phaseolus vulgaris)

52-56 days. Strong, compact, and upright 12-14" bushes produce many 5-7½" pods that are a lovely deep, glossy, purple. The *Purple*

Queen Bush Bean is known for it's tender texture and rich taste. Best for eating fresh for the vitamins, and to enjoy the color. If picked young, the colorful raw pods make good eating in salads or minced into sandwich spreads for extra crunch. Taste great cooked, also, turning a brilliant dark-green. This variety is very hardy and productive. Due to its tolerance of cooler temperatures, it can be planted 2 weeks earlier than most varieties.

Item No. BbPuQ 50 Seeds per pack

Roma II

(a.k.a. Roma Bush)

(Phaseolus vulgaris)
50-60 days. A high yielding Italian green bean. The
Roma II Bush Bean is tender,
meaty and flavorful. Pods are

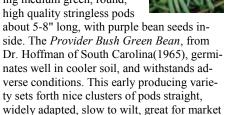


wide and flat, 4½-6" long, grayish-green in color, slow to develop fiber and seeds, which gives its pods better texture, longer than other romano beans. Strong, upright 15-20" plants keep beans high off the ground, free of dirt and easy to harvest. Excellent for fresh eating, cooking, canning, and freezing. Disease Resistance: BCMV, NY 15, and rust resistant.

Item No. BbRII 50 Seeds per pack

Provider

(Phaseolus vulgaris)
48-54 days. Very high yielding, 16-20" plants, bearing medium green, round, high quality stringless pods



growers. Great for eating fresh, freezing, or

canning. Disease Resistance: BCMV, NY 15,

PMV, and rust resistant. **Item No.** BbPro 50 Seeds per pack



Royal Burgundy (a.k.a. Purple Burgundy, Royal Purple Burgundy, Royal Burgundy Purple Pod, Purple Pod Bush) (Phaseolus vulgaris)

50-60 days. These lovely

purple beans are an attractive addition to any garden, fun for to grow for kids and "kids at heart"! Vigorous, erect 15-20" bushes produce high yiels of 5-6" round, stringless, purple pods tht turn an emerald green when cooked. The *Royal Burgundy Bush Bean* is a great early producing variety, developed at the University of New Hampshire, that does well in colder soils. Delicious, great for canning, freezing, cooking or eating fresh. Bean Beetle resistant.

Item No. BbRoB 50 Seeds per pack

Top Crop

(Phaseolus vulgaris) 45-53 days. Widely adapted to many different climates and soil conditions, and noted for

it's flavor and disease re-

sistance. The *Top Crop Heirloom Bush Green Bean* produces $5\frac{1}{2}$ -7" smooth, straight, stringless pods that are medium green in color. Winner of the *All-American Selections* Award in 1950. Strong and upright 18-24" plants set forth concentrated crops and high yields. Very good for canning and freezing, great fresh snap bean. Disease Resistance: PMV, BCMV, and NY 15.

Item No. BbTC 50 Seeds per pack



Tendergreen Improved (a.k.a. Tendergreen Long) (Phaseolus vulgaris) 45-56 days. A very nice high yield and low maintenance green bean produces round, smooth, straight, meaty, dark-green, fiberless and stringless 6-7" pods, on large, upright 16-20" plants. Won the All-American Selections Award in 1933, and still remains a favorite multi-purpose green bean. Great for canning, freezing, fresh eating, stir-frying and pickling. Tendergreen makes the best pickled green bean as they are stingless and the pods are straight making it an easy

choice to pack into a canning jar. The seeds are lovely, purple, accented with beige markings, making them great for canning shelly beans. Heat tolerant, heat will not affect production. A long producing variety. Disease Resistance: BCMV. **Item No.** BbTgI 50 Seeds per pack



Pinto (Phaseolus vulgaris) 85-95 days. Dry Bean A popular bean in the Southwest and Mexican cooking. Very flavorful and smells great when cooking. Pinto Bush Bean plants are half-runner

type, reaching about 20", producing lots of 4½-6½" pods borne near the crown of the plants. Broad pods contain 5-6 broad, oval, light buff seeds speckled with brown. High in protein, fiber, B vitamins, calcium, phosphorus, potassium and iron. Great flavor and great nutrition all in this popular dry bean! Popular for refried beans, soups, chili, baked beans, or bean dip, and can be substituted for kidney beans or red beans in recipes.

Item No. BbPin 50 Seeds per pack

Slenderette

(a.k.a. Slankette) (Phaseolus vulgaris)

53-56 days. Beautiful and bountiful the two words that best describe the *Slenderette Bush Green Bean*. Vigorous,



erect 14-20" plants hold pods well up off the ground protecting them from the soil. Dark green 5-6" pods are long, slender, and straight with a slight curve at the end. Pods develop fiber slowly, making this a great stringless green bean. High quality, great flavor, excellent for cooking, canning, freezing, and fresh eating! Disease resistance: BCMV, NY15, PMV, and CTV.

Item No. BbSle 50 Seeds per pack

Taylor Dwarf Horticultural

(a.k.a. October, Taylor Long Podded Dwarf Horticultural, Improved Pinto, Shelley Bean, Taylor Horti-



cultural Improved) (Phaseolus vulgaris) Dry Bean Dating back to the 52-68 days. 1800s, the Taylor Dwarf Horticultural Heirloom Bush Bean is a favorite old-time bean brought to the U.S. from Italy, a true heirloom. The light green pods turn an attractive cream and red pods at maturity, producing lovely tan seeds with maroon markings. Prolific, upright plants grow to 14-18" in height, bearing numerous 5-6" pods. Does well in cool climates. Highly prized as shelly beans, pods are ready to pick for shelly beans when the red splashes appear. Also great for succotash, dry beans make a great addition to soups or chili.

Item No. BbDTH 50 Seeds per pack

Bean - Fava

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Fava beans are hardy cool season plants that can tolerate some frost but do not tolerate heat (above 70°F) well. Direct plant Heirloom / Open Pollinated Fava Bean Seeds in spring as soon as soil can be worked, 1" deep, 4-6" apart, in rows 18-30" apart, in full sun . Germination occurs in 5-10 days at 60-70°F. Thin Fava Bean plants to 8-10". In mild winter climates, Fava Beans can be fall planted for spring harvest. Harvest as Snap Beans when Fava Bean Seeds in pods are the size of a pea. For shelling beans harvest when the Fava Bean pods are thick and well-filled with seeds, while the pods are still green. For dry beans, leave pods on Fava Bean plants until pods are dry, brown, and crisp, and beans are hard and rattle in pod.



Broad Windsor (a.k.a. English Windsor Broad, Broad Pod Windsor, Horse Bean, Conqueror, Exhibition Long Pod) (Vicia faba)

65-75 days. Upright, strong, and tall 2-4' plants produce good yields broad, 1" wide pods, 6-8" in length filled with very large beans (often as big as a U.S. Quarter Dollar coin). The *Broad Windsor Fava Beans* have a flavor that is similar to a blend of limas and peas, but are more nutritious than limas. One of the tastiest of all dried beans. Delicious at the shelling stage, takes well to a variety of herbs and spices. The best of both worlds for those who love gardening and cooking. Pick beans at 2-3" for snap beans.

From Virginia northward, favas are planted in the spring, whereas in Gulf Coast states and warm coastal areas they may be planted from October to December for harvest in March. Cold hardy to 12° F.

Item No. BfWin 25 Seeds per pack

Bean - Lima

King of the Garden

(Phaseolus lunatus) 90 days. Dry Bean King of the Garden pole limas are smooth and flat with pods that are 6" to 7" long. Plants are vigorous climbers and very productive.

Item No. BIKGL 25 Seeds per pack



White Dixie Butterpea

(a.k.a. Baby Lima) (Phaseolus lunatus) 75 days. Shell or Dry Bean White Dixie Butterpea's are small white limas that will melt in your mouth. Pods are 5" long and have 3 to 4 beans per pod. Excellent for soups and baking. Excellent high yielding home garden variety. Item No. BIWDB 50 Seeds per pack





Christmas

(a.k.a. Large Speckled Calico, Giant Calico/Florida Pole, Giant Butter/Florida Speckled Giant Speckled) (Phaseolus lunatus)

75-100 days. An Heirloom dating back to 1840. The *Christmas Lima Heirloom Pole Bean* is a beautiful large, U.S. Quarter Dollar sized white bean with deep

red unique markings. Can be used green or dried. Rich, delicious flavor. Vigorous vines can reach 7-10', setting forth heavy yields of 4½-5½" by 1" pods, even in extreme heat.

Item No. BlChr 25 Seeds per pack



Fordhook 242 Bush (a.k.a. Mammoth Wonder Bush, Fordhook Improved, and Potato Lima)

(Phaseolus lunatus)

70-75 days. This popular lima bean sports broad, thick 1-1¹/⁴" wide pods, 3¹/₂-4" in length, with 3-4 large, thick, plump, oval, greenish-white seeds each, on 16-20" plants. The *Fordhook 242 Bush Heirloom Lima*

Bean is a wonderful butterbean, with a pleasing, nutty flavor. Good fresh, cooked, frozen, or dried. Won the *All-American Selections (AAS)* Award in 1945. Easy sheller. Good for the North or maritime conditions. Heat and drought resistant.

Item No. BlFhB 25 Seeds per pack



Henderson's Bush

(a.k.a. Henderson's Baby Lima, Henderson's Dwarf, and Earliest Bush Lima) (Phaseolus lunatus)

60-75 days. One of the most famous lima beans, introduced in 1888 by Peter Henderson & Co. *Henderson's Bush Heirloom Lima Bean* is an excellent baby lima, smooth and with delicate, buttery flavor. Found on a Virginia roadside by a soldier returning from the Civil War, it was grown by a local market gardener and passed along to T. W. Woods & Sons, who grew it for two years and then sold the whole stock to Peter Henderson & Company in 1887. The plants are dwarf bush and can be grown like any other

bush bean, setting forth $2\frac{1}{2}$ - $3\frac{1}{2}$ " long pods, bearing 3-4 small green seeds each that dry to a lovely creamy-white. Very productive, bears reliably until the first frosts hit. Great for cooking, canning, freezing, or drying. **Item No.** BIHB 50 Seeds per pack

Moral cowardice that keeps us from speaking our minds is as dangerous to this country as irresponsible talk. The right way is not always the popular and easy way. Standing for what is right when it is unpopular is a true test of moral character.

- Margaret Chase Smith

Bean - Pole



Kentucky Blue (Phaseolus vulgaris)

51-73 days. An old heirloom variety of pole bean that produces pods 6-8" long, on 6-8' vines. The *Kentucky Blue Heirloom Pole Bean* comes from a cross of Kentucky Wonder and Blue Lake Pole Beans, bred by Dr. Calvin Lamborn. The round, straight, smooth pods have a distinctive flavor with traces of Blue Lake's sweetness, and are

very tender when cooked. The *Kentucky Blue Pole Bean* won the famous *All-American Selections(AAS)* Award in 1991! Disease Resistance: BCMV. **Item No.** BpKB 50 Seeds per pack



Missouri Wonder (*Phaseolus vulgaris*) 60 - 75 days. Missouri Wonder Heirloom Open Pollinated Pole Bean has thick round stringless pods 6 to 8" long. Missouri Wonder is very prolific and has a good beany flavor. **Item No.** BpMW 50 Seeds per pack



Kentucky Wonder (a.k.a. Old Homestead, Texas Pole, Kentucky Wonder Green Pod, Improved Kentucky Wonder, Egg Harbour, and Improved Kentucky Wonder) (Phaseolus vulgaris)

58-72 days. An old heirloom bean variety, originally introduced in 1864, which remains one of the most popular pole beans to this day. *Kentucky Wonder Heir*-

loom Pole Beans produce some of the most delicious green beans you will ever taste. Tall, hardy 5-7' vines produce clusters of large numbers of 7-10" bean pods, bright green, flavorful, and full of plump brown or white seeds. Bears freely, when picked frequently, prolific vines will keep producing right up until the first fall frosts. Formerly known as the Texas Pole Bean, given its present name by seedsman James J.H. Gregory in 1877. Perfect green bean for fresh, cooked, frozen or canned beans. Rust Resistant.

Item No. BpKyW 50 Seeds per pack

Bean - Wax



Cherokee (a.k.a. Surecrop Stringless Wax, Bountiful Wax, Valentine Wax,)

(Phaseolus vulgaris) 43-58 days. Believed to have been handed down from the Cherokee Indians, and introduced to the garden market in 1846. This Wax bean won the *All-American Selections* Award in 1848, and is still a great favorite today. *Cherokee*

Wax Heirloom Bush Beans are light yellow in color, stringless and delicious. Very hardy, producing well even in adverse weather conditions. Hardy, erect, 16-18" bush plants produce high yields of straight to slightly curved 5-7" oval pods. Excellent fresh, canned, or frozen. Disease Resistance: BCMV, NY15, and rust.

Item No. BwChe 50 Seeds per pack



Dragons Tongue (a.k.a. Horticultural Wax, Dragon Langerie, and Merveille de Piemonte) (Phaseolus vulgaris) 57-65 days for Snap Beans, and 85-95 for Dry Beans. The Dragons Tongue Heirloom Bush Bean is a famous Dutch heirloom wax bean. This lovely bean grows to 7 ½" long and is cream colored with purple stripes, although the purple stripes disappear after blanching. The pods are wide, crisp and

stringless. This wax bush bean can be eaten at several stages. When the greenish pods turn creamy yellow with dull purple stripes, the pods are ready to eat fresh as snap beans. As they mature, the stripes turn red, signaling the shell bean stage. When fully mature these unique heirloom beans can be used as a dry bean, as well. The plants are compact and set high yields. Remarkably good flavor! Item No. BwDT 50 Seeds per pack



Goldcrop (a.k.a. Golden Bountiful Wax)

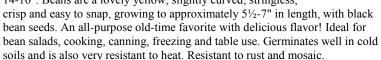
(Phaseolus vulgaris)

45-65 days. Upright Bush-type plant producing pods high up on the plant, making harvest easy. The *Goldcrop Wax Bush Bean* bears bright yellow pods, straight, round, tender, and stringless, 5-7" in length, with white seeds. From the USDA in

Washington State. Won the *All-American Selections* Award in 1974! Use for fresh, canning and freezing. Resists heat and hot weather blossom drop. Disease Resistance: BCMV and CT. **Item No.** BwGoC 50 Seeds per pack

Pencil Pod Black (a.k.a. Butterbean Wax and Eastern Black Wax) (Phaseolus vulgaris) 50-65 days.

Introduced in 1900, this favorite with gardeners for generations was developed from a cross between the Improved Black Wax Bean and the Black Eyed Wax Bean. The *Pencil Pod Black Wax Bush Bean* has a bush habit, with dwarf bushes reaching 14-16". Beans are a lovely yellow, slightly curved, stringless,



Item No. BwPPB 50 Seeds per pack

Beets

Beets are usually direct seeded. Plant beets in full sun, when soil has warmed in Spring, $\frac{1}{2}$ " deep, 1" apart, in rows 12-16" apart. Germination occurs in 5-17 days in soil 55-70°F. When the beets start to come up, thin to 3-4". Keep well watered, especially during root development. Harvest greens when young for best flavor. Harvest beet root when 1-3" across. Beets keep for a long time when stored in moist sand.

Chioggia (a.k.a. Bull's Eye or Candystripe) (Beta vulgaris) 50-60 days. An Italian heirloom first introduced in the late 1840s. The Chioggia Beet (Pronounced "key oh juh"), is named after the city Chioggia near Venice. The surrounding region, known as the Veneto is famed for it's vegetable production. This beet is a very attractive variety with it's red and white bull's eye pattern, which turn's to all pink when cooked(although it will retain its markings if baked whole and sliced just before serving), it is most commonly enjoyed raw. Mild flavored roots and smooth delicious tops make this a favorite among cooks. Matures early and also requires less cooking time than other beets, two distinguishing features of this popular beet. Does not bleed and stain! Nice for cooking and pickling.

Item No. BeChi 250 Seeds per pack



Beets (cont.)



Bull's Blood (Beta vulgaris)
35 days for young leaves, 60 days for root. An Old French variety, introduced in 1840, famous for it's mild and sweet flavored burgundy leaves.
Harvest the leaves of the Bull's Blood Beet early for use in salads and soups.

Flattened round roots are tasty also, with attractive pink rings inside, best flavor when harvested somewhat young. Leave's color most striking in cool weather, and as they mature. Some heat resistance.

Item No. BeBuB 250 Seeds per pack



Golden Detroit (Beta vulgaris) 55-60 days.

This is an excellent dual purpose beet, a good choice for both root and greens. The *Golden Detroit Beet* root is dark orange-yellow in color, with a golden interior, turning yellow when

cooked. One of the fine features of this beet is that it doesn't bleed like red beets do! The roots are very sweet and tasty, even when mature(although best when young, they will not turn fibrous as many beets do), great right out of the garden in salads, but also are wonderful pickled, boiled, steamed or stir fried. The immature tops are great in salads, and when mature have a delicious mild flavor, perfect steamed or sautéed. *For some reason golden beets can have a lower germination rate so remember to plant a few extra.

Item No. BeGoD 250 Seeds per pack



Detroit Dark Red

(Beta vulgaris)
58 days. The Detroit Dark Red Beet, an all-time favorite, has a full, round globe, uniformly deep red in

color. This beet is known for it's sweet flavor, and smooth texture. The tops are dark green and 12" - 15" tall, making good greens. An heirloom variety introduced in 1892. Great for eating fresh, pickling, and canning. **Item No.** BeDDR
250 Seeds per pack



Ruby Queen (Beta vulgaris) 52-60 days. A 1957 All-American Selections Winner, the Ruby Queen Beet produces exceptionally sweet dark red beets.

The canning industry's favorite for years, it's smooth buttery flavor is sure to please. A very reliable variety for home gardeners and market growers alike. Performs well in poor soil and holds its shape well in crowded spaces.

Item No. BeRuQ 250 Seeds per pack



Cylindra (a.k.a. Butter Slicer or Formanova)

(Beta vulgaris) 46-80 days This uniquely shaped beet is long and narrow, making it easy to peel

and produces more uniform slices than your typical round beet. The *Cylindra Beet* is well suited to gardens with little space or for those who pack a large number of varieties into there garden, with growth being down instead of out. Highly productive variety. Root is sweet and tender, smooth and ringless. Greens are small, reddish green, and edible. Great for canning, pickling, and eating. **Item No.** BeCLR 250 Seeds per pack

Early Wonder Tall

Top (Beta vulgaris) 55 days. The Early Wonder Tall Top Beet is an old heirloom that predates 1811. It has a slightly flattened globular



root that is dark red, with bunching tall greens 12" - 15" tall, glossy leaves make choice greens. Adapts well to all seasons, is good for early spring plantings. A good allaround beet! **Item No.** BeEWTT 250 Seeds per pack

Broccoli

Broccoli lacks tolerance to extreme heat. Direct seed in spring or start indoors 4-6 wks before last frost. Plant seeds $\frac{1}{2}$ " deep in full sun, 4-6" apart, in rows 18-36" apart, when outdoor temperatures have reached 50°F. Germination usually occurs in 5-17 days in soil 55-75°F. Plants should be thinned to 12-24". Harvest center head before flower buds open, then harvest side shoots frequently for continuous production.



Green Sprouting Calabrese (a.k.a. Early Italian Green Sprouting) (Brassica oleracea)

58-90 days from transplant. This broccoli variety was brought to America from Italy in the late 1800s. *Green Sprouting Calabrese Broccoli*

is a true mainstay with gardeners. Heads grow to 5-8", with a central head, bearing many side shoots. Does well in cool climates, extremely frost tolerant. Will continue to grow side shoots throughout season, even after main head is cut. Very flavorful, and rich in vitamins. **Item No.** BrGSC 50 Seeds per pack



DeCicco (Brassica oleracea) 48-85 days from transplant.

Heirloom Open Pollinated Broccoli is an old reliable favorite from Europe. DeCicco has a compact 2-3ft plant that produces 3" to 4" bluish green heads. After the head is cut it will produce lots of medium sized

heads from side shoots. DeCicco Broccoli is non uniform in maturity that will give the home gardener a nice crop over an extended period of time. DeCicco Broccoli Freezes well. **Item No.** BrDeC 50 Seeds per pack



Purple Sprouting

(Brassica oleracea) 220 days from transplant. Purple Sprouting Heirloom Open Pollinated Broccoli is an English variety bred for overwintering. If given some frost protection (Coldframe) Purple Sprouting Broccoli will even produce in the midwest.

Plant in early fall for next spring crop. Purple Sprouting Broccoli plants are 24 to 36" tall, bushy, and with lots of purple flowers. **Item No.** BrPuS 50 Seeds per pack



Waltham 29 (a.k.a. Early Green Waltham 29) (Brassica oleracea)

74 days from Plants develop

transplant. Plants develop to mature in cold weather, bred to withstand the increasing cold of fall maturity. Waltham 29 Broccoli will continue to sprout lateral buds for 6-8 weeks after cutting main head. Great variety for freezing. Bred by University of Massachusetts, Waltham Field Station, Waltham, MA around 1950. Drought tolerant, widely adapted.

Item No. BrW29 50 Seeds per pack

Brussels Sprouts

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Brussels sprouts prefer cooler climates, but can be grown in hot climates by direct seeding in mid-summer for a late fall/winter harvest. Start Brussels sprouts indoors 4-6 wks before last frost, or direct sow mid-May to mid-June. Set out or plant in full sun to partial shade. Plant Heirloom Brussels sprouts seeds ¼ - ½" deep, 4-6" apart, in rows 18-36" apart. Germination occurs in 5-17 days in soil 55-70°F. Thin plants to 12-24" apart. For best flavor and tenderness, harvest after plants have endured a couple of frosts.



Long Island Improved (a.k.a. Paris Market, Half Dwarf Improved, and Long Island Improved Catskill Strain)

Brassica oleracea 85-115 days Introduced around 1890, this old a variety still holds it's popularity with gardeners. Sometimes mistaken for the variety "Catskill", introduced in 1941, the two are similar but not the same variety. Long Island Improved Brussels Sprouts are semi-dwarf plants, producing many closely set, tight, firm, dark green, 1-1½" sprouts on a 20-24" stem. Freezes well. They taste great roasted with other vegetables, hearty meat or sausage. Also, nice chopped up fine and used in salads or coleslaw. Item No. BSLII 50 Seeds per pack

Cabbage

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Cabbages are a hardy, biennial, cool season crop, growing best where the summers are mild. Early maturing heirloom cabbage varieties are planted in the spring, and longer season heirloom varieties are usually planted in summer for a fall harvest. Start spring cabbage varieties indoors 6-8 wks before last frost or direct seed in full sun. Plant seeds \(\frac{1}{4}\)-\(\frac{1}{2}\)" deep, 4-6" apart, in rows 2-3' apart. Germination usually occurs in 5-17 days in soil 55-75°F. Thin heirloom cabbage plants to or set out transplants 15-24" apart. Harvest early cabbage varieties promptly to avoid bursting, later types will hold in the field longer. At harvest, keep 2-3 wrapper leaves to protect heirloom cabbage heads from bruising.



Early Jersey Wakefield

(Brassica oleracea) 60-75 days. Introduced in the U.S. by Francis Brill, of New Jersey, in the year

1840. Originally grown by said gentleman and neighbors, the Early Jersey Wakefield Cabbage developed from a natural cross between the variety "Wakefield", from England, and the other cabbage varieties growing in the neighborhood. Officially introduced to the public in the 1850s, by the well known Peter Henderson. This variety is one of the earliest and best cabbages, and known to be very reliable and easy to grow. Heads are conical in shape, solid and tightly folded, 7" in diameter and 10-12" long, weighing 2-4 lbs, set on short stems. Tender, with fine flavor, the leaves are great wrappers for cabbage roll recipes, also great fresh! Item No. CaEJW 100 Seeds per pack

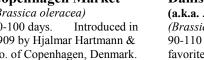


Copenhagen Market

(Brassica oleracea) 60-100 days. 1909 by Hjalmar Hartmann & Co. of Copenhagen, Denmark. One of the largest early maturing ball-head type cabbages.

The Copenhagen Market Cabbage produces heavy yields of 3-4 lb heads, which are resistant to bursting. Very hardy, and adapts well to a variety of climates. This variety's compact growth lends well to small garden spaces. Attractive, blue-green heads are high quality, the standard for commercial cabbages developed since it's introduction to the market.

Item No. CaCM 100 Seeds per pack



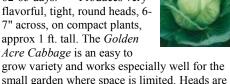
favorite, it has been the standard storing variety since introduced by W. Atlee Burpee in

1887. The Danish Ballhead Cabbage produces round, blue-green, 7-8" heads, weighing 5-7 pounds, with a mild and tender interior. A short stemmed strain of the Danish variety, "Amager", dating back to the 15th century. Adapted to the Northeast, and does well in mountainous areas. Great all-purpose cabbage. Delicious fresh in salads. Excellent keeper. One of the very best for kraut.

Item No. CaDaB 100 Seeds per pack



(Brassica oleracea) 62-65 days. Produces very flavorful, tight, round heads, 6-7" across, on compact plants, approx 1 ft. tall. The Golden Acre Cabbage is an easy to



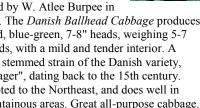
small garden where space is limited. Heads are medium green with a white interior. A great cabbage for coleslaw or stir fry. Good disease resistance.

Item No. CaGoA 100 Seeds per pack



Danish Ballhead

(a.k.a. Amager) (Brassica oleracea) 90-110 days. An old-time



Late Flat Dutch

(Brassica oleracea) 95-110 days. One of the largest cabbages with solid oval heads growing to 7" deep by 12" in diameter, and weighing in at 10-15 lbs. The Late



Flat Dutch Cabbage stores very well, and is the standard for late season varieties. Heads have a short core and excellent wrapper leaves. Will sometimes do poorly in hot weather, but revives nicely when cool, wet weather returns. Suitable for spring, summer, and fall crops. Very cold hardy.

Item No. CaLFD 100 Seeds per pack

Cabbage (cont.)



Early Round Dutch

(Brassica oleracea) 75 days. A good variety well suited for early market. Ball shaped, 4 - 5 pound heads have crinkled, dark blue - green cup shaped

leaves. Item No. CaERD 100 Seeds per pack

Red Acre

(Brassica oleracea)

75 days. One of the best red cabbages available. Produces lovely, reddish-purple, globe shaped heads. The Red Acre Cabbage is great fresh, cooked,

or in coleslaw, adds a wonderful touch to any meal. Very resistant to cabbage yellowing. Well suited for small gardens, as it stays more compact than many cabbage varieties. Stores very well, and will last a long time in the garden without splitting or bursting.

Item No. CaRA 100 Seeds per pack



Mammoth Red Rock

(Brassica oleracea)

90-100 days. Introduced in 1889, this exceptional variety of red cabbage produces solid weighing 7-8 lbs. The Mam-

round heads 8" in diameter and moth Rock Cabbage is red throughout, uniform, medium to small cored, and has fine flavor. High in Vitamin C and is great cooked,

fresh in salads, or for pickling. Item No. CaMRR 100 Seeds per pack

Cabbage, Savoy



Savov Perfection (Brassica oleracea)

A large drumhead-type cabbage that has finely-wrinkled, savoyed leaves, mild and sweet in flavor. The Savoy Perfection Cabbage is finer than most cabbages, being sweeter, with a delicate flavor. Savoy Perfection also does not give off the sulfur smell when cooking, like other cabbage varieties. Heads weigh 6-8 lbs. Great for stuffing, steaming, stir fry, and is the key ingredient in Italian ministrone soup. Unique and beautiful cabbage, fun to grow!

Item No. CaSaP 100 Seeds per pack - \$2.00

Cabbage, Chinese



Michihili (Brassica rapa)

A heading Chinese cabbage, producing cylindrical heads that are upright, 4" in diameter and 14-24" in height. The Michihili Chinese Cabbage is a very popular variety, the most commonly grown Chinese cabbage in America. Grows best in mild climates. Excellent in stir fry, coleslaw, salads or added to your favorite Asian dish. Especially good

are the tender hearts, chop them up and add them to your salad, or boil them(not to long) and put butter on them!

Item No. CaCMi 100 Seeds per pack

Pak Choi, White Stem (a.k.a. Bok Choy)

(Brassica rapa)

45-50 days. A non-heading leaf type Chinese cabbage that produces large, nearly round, smooth, glossy green leaves with snow white stalks. Pak Choi White Stem Cabbage is crisp and mild tasting, a popular green in Asian cooking. It is a main ingredient in

Chow Mien. Very cold hardy. To avoid bolting, plant later in cool

Item No. CaWSPC 100 Seeds per pack



Cantaloupe

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Cantaloupe are heat loving plants that prefer well drained loose soil and an even amount of water. Plant Cantaloupe in rows or hills but make sure the soil is well warmed. In the North it helps to start seeds indoors 2-3 wks. before last frost. Plant Cantaloupe seeds ½" deep in full sun. For rows plant 3-4" apart, in rows 6-10' apart. For hills plant 4-6 seeds per hill, with hills 2-3' apart. Germination occurs in 3-10 days in soil 70-85°F. In hills thin to 2 Cantaloupe plants per hill. Harvest when fruit easily slips from the vine, or smells very sweet and fragrant at the blossom end. Heirloom Honeydew does not slip from the vine, the melon must be cut from the vine.

Casaba Golden Beauty

(Cucumis melo)

Casaba Golden Beauty Heirloom 104 days. Open Pollinated Melon is an old heirloom that dates back to the 1920's. It has a tough wrinkled rind that that matures to a golden color. Casaba Golden Beauty melon has 7 to 8 lb fruit that has

very aromatic white flesh. Is crown blight resistance and is an excellent shipper that keeps for months. Adapts well to hot dry climates.

Item No. ClCGB 25 Seeds per pack



Crenshaw (Cucumis melo)

105-115 days. A melon that will please the whole family with it's deliciously sweet flavor and ultra smooth texture, perfect for those who don't like the grainy texture of most melons. The Crenshaw Melon produces large 8-10 lb. fruits, green skinned, turning to yellow-green at maturity, with a lovely salmon colored flesh. Very vigorous vines. A heat loving melon, best

suited to warmer climates. Peak season for Crenshaw melons is August through September, with the fruit season beginning in July and ending in October. Item No. ClCre 25 Seeds per pack



Cantaloupe (cont.)



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Honeydew, Green Flesh (Honeydew)

(Cucumis melo)
105-115 days. The high sugar content of this melon makes it ones of the sweetest melons around. The Green



Flesh Honeydew Melon is a beautiful melon with a smooth creamy white rind, and lime green interior flesh. Melons grow to 7-9" long and 5-6" wide, weighing 3-6 lbs. Best suited to the South or Southwest, but with some TLC and southern exposure can be grown elsewhere. Stores and ships well.

Item No. CIHDG

25 Seeds per pack

Iroquois (Iroquois Extra Select, Giant Early Wonder) (Cucumis melo)

75-90 days. This attractive, early-maturing melon is perfect for market gardeners. With it's heavy netting on



deeply ribbed gray-green skin, the *Iroquois Cantaloupe* is not only delicious, but also beautiful on display! Rind is tough, holding up to bumps and jostling more, perfect for transport to Farmer's Market, or the busy gardener's fast paced harvest. Melons grow to 6-7" in diameter and weigh in at 5-7 lbs. Fusarium Wilt resistant. Does well in Midwestern and northeastern US and eastern Canada. **Item No.** ClIro 25 Seeds per pack

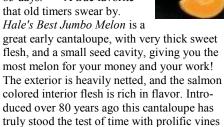
Rocky Ford

(Cucumis melo) 85 days. Rocky Ford Heirloom Open Pollinated Melon is an heirloom that goes back to 1881. Rocky Ford produces not quite round 2-3lb fruit with



deep grained green flesh. Plants are prolific producers, very rust resistant, with good vigor. **Item No.** ClRoF 25 Seeds per pack

Hales Best Jumbo (Hale's Best Original, Hales Best Jumbo #936, Hales Jumbo) (Cucumis melo) 85 days. A true favorite that old timers swear by.



producing large 3-5 lbs. melons. Drought re-

sistant, does well in many growing conditions.

Item No. ClHBJ 25 Seeds per pack



Honeydew, Orange Flesh (Honeydew) (Cucumis melo)

90-110 days. Orange Flesh Heirloom Open Pollinated Honeydew has creamy white skin when ripe and thick light

orange flesh. Excellent flavor that is between Honeydew and Crenshaw with ripe melons averaging 6.5" diameter and 5 lbs weight.

Item No. CIHDO
25 Seeds per pack



Minnesota Midget

(Cucumis melo)
60-75 days. Bred by the University of Minnesota in 1948 specifically for shorter growing seasons in the northern regions. The Min-

nesota Midget Melon is an extra early variety, with compact vines perfectly suited to the small garden, some have even reported them to do well in large containers. Small fruits are approx. 5-6" in diameter, and weigh 13 oz - 1 ½ lbs. Thick golden-yellow interior flesh is delicious and sweet, edible to the rind. Tolerant to Fusarium wilt and cool nights. **Item No.** ClMiM 25 Seeds per pack

Hearts Of Gold

(Cucumis melo)
70 days. Hearts Of Gold

70 days. Hearts Of Gold Heirloom Open Pollinated Cantaloupe dating from 1895 has stood the test of time. Hearts Of Gold pro-



duces heavily netted fruit with medium ribbing. Flesh is sweet, deep orange, very thick and firm. Vines are vigorous, very productive, and resistence to blight.

Item No. ClHOG 25 Seeds per pack

Honey Rock (Sugar Rock) (Cucumis melo) 80-88 days. An oldfashioned favorite, 1933 winner of the All-American Selections Award, holding it's popularity with garden-



ers to this day. The *Honey Rock Cantaloupe* produces 5-7 fruits, 6" in diameter, weighing 2-3 lbs. Melons Are coarsely netted on the gray-green rind, with a very sweet salmon orange interior. *Honey Rock* is said to be a result of a cross between 'Champlain', 'Irondequoit' and 'Honey Dew' and was introduced by Watt Richardson of Ohio in about 1920. Vines are vigorous and Fusarium Wilt resistant.

Item No. ClHoR 25 Seeds per pack

Jenny Lind

(Cucumis melo)
70-85 days. Jenny Lind
Heirloom Open Pollinated
Cantaloupe is an old heirloom that is making a comeback by popular demand.



Vines are 5 ft long with flat 1 to 3 lb fruit with knobs or turbans on the blossom end. Flesh is limegreen, very sweet, and aromatic. Jenny Lind matures mid season and was known in the Philadelphia area before 1840.

Item No. ClJeL 25 Seeds per pack

Associate with men of good quality if you esteem your own reputation; for it is better to be alone than in bad company. -George Washington



Carrots

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Carrots grow best in well prepared, deeply worked, loose soil. Direct seed Carrots in full sun or part shade (in hot climates), from early spring-summer, \(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\)" deep, approx. 4 seeds per inch, in rows 12-16" apart. Germination occurs in 6-21 days at temperatures of 50-75° F. Thin the plants to 1-3" apart. To prevent green shoulders you can hill 1-2" of soil around plants when 7-10 leaves have formed. A good mulch of organic material (such as grass clippings) is very beneficial once carrots are established. Harvest when Heirloom / Open Pollinated carrots have brightened in color, when color has deepened.

Atomic Red

(Daucus carota)

65-75 days. These neat red carrots are high in lycopene, the antioxidant credited with preventing several types of cancer. In fact they become



even more beneficial when cooked, as the process makes the lycopene more available for your body to use. The Atomic Red Carrot bears tapered red roots, up to 10" long, a sweet and delicious carrot. Try them fresh in salads to add color, or cooked, as cooking brings intensifies the lovely red color of these unique carrots. Kids of all ages will love them! Try something different and healthy this year.

Item No. CtAtR 250 Seeds per pack



(Daucus carota)

65-75 days. Originally introduced in France in the 1830s, this large, stump-rooted carrot is an enduring favorite in the garden and the kitchen alike. The *Red Core* Chantenay Carrot produces stocky 5-5 1/2" inch long, tender, sweet, and bright orange roots, with a deep red-orange core. Adaptable to clay and a wide range of soils. A good split resistant variety. One of the sweetest carrots, great for juicing and fresh eating.

Item No. CtCha 250 Seeds per pack



Cosmic Purple

(Daucus carota)

This gorgeous 60-70 days. and unique carrot is another variety high in antioxidants, including anthocyanin and lycopene, also high in Vita-



min A. The Cosmic Purple Carrot has an imperator shape, bearing deep purple skin with a orange or yellow interior, kids love their unique colors, and they are right up the alley of those enjoy planting unique vegetable varieties. Cosmic Purples grow to about 6 -8" with strong 18" tops. A sweet and delicious carrot with the highest nutritional value, a great combination!

Item No. CtCoP 250 Seeds per pack

Little Fingers (a.k.a.

Midget - Little Finger)

(Daucus carota)

50-70 days.

Little Finger, Lady Finger,

Nantes Little Finger, Sweet

dainty, finger-sized carrots.

Gourmet,

blunt-tipped, smooth skinned and have a

The Little Fingers Carrots are deep orange,

small core. The color develops early, so they

can be harvested at a young, tender stage for

use as baby gourmet carrots. Small tops. The

cery store baby carrots! Excellent for snacks,

flavor is very sweet and far superior to gro-

salads, soups, stews, canning or pickling



Danvers 126 (a.k.a. Half Long, Danvers Red Core

#126) (Daucus carota) 65-87 days. Danvers carrots are conical shaped, with well-defined shoulders, tapering to a point at the tip. They

do well in clay or heavy soils, with high yields. The Danvers 126 Carrot is heat tolerant. Grows 7-8" long, with large, sturdy tops that aid in harvesting. This variety was developed by the Eastern States Farmers Exchange, West Springfield, Massachusetts from other strains of Danvers which were known for heat resistance. The Danvers 126 has dark brightorange flesh, which is smooth, sweet, and tender. Stores well. A popular choice for home and market.

Item No. CtDnvr 250 Seeds per pack



Imperator 58 (a.k.a. Long Imperator 58)

(Daucus carota)

The Imperator 75 days. carrot is longer and thinner than other varieties of carrot. Does best in loose soils. The

Imperator 58 Carrot is well suited for all uses, with excellent flavor. Grows to 9" long, with smooth, fine-grained, deep- orange flesh.

Item No. CtImp 250 Seeds per pack



Minicor (a.k.a. Amsterdam or Baby Nantes)

(Daucus carota)

54-60 days. An early maturing gourmet baby carrot, originating in Holland. The *Minicor Carrot* is the number



one variety for high quality baby carrots. The roots are sweet and tender, fine-grained, deep orange, and uniform in size and shape, growing to 3-4" long, or 6-7" long when grown to full size. Has won many taste tests for it's rich color, crunchy texture, and unbeatable flavor. Excellent for fresh eating, and a great canning variety.

Item No. CtMin 250 Seeds per pack



250 Seeds per pack

Item No. CtLiF

whole.

Scarlet Nantes (Early Coreless, Scarlet Nantes Coreless) (Daucus carota) 65-68 days. A French heirloom introduced in 1855. The Scarlet Nantes Carrot is sweet, juicy, and nearly core-

less. Stout, blunt roots grow to about 4-6", bright red-orange in color, and full of flavor. High in vitamins. A great choice for fresh eating, freezing and juicing.

Item No. CtScN 250 Seeds per pack



Tendersweet (Daucus

carota) 65-75 days. Tendersweet Heirloom Open Pollinated Carrot is one of the sweetest carrots around. Tapered 7" deep orange roots are top qual-

ity, ideal for cooking. Tendersweet is coreless which makes them great for carrot sticks.

Item No. CtTen 250 Seeds per pack

Cauliflower

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Cauliflower is a biennial, frost tolerant plant, that requires deeply-tilled, firm, fertile soil for good head or "curd" formation. Start heirloom cauliflower plants indoors about 6-8 weeks before the last frost. Plant cauliflower seeds ¼ - ½" deep. Germination occurs in 5-17 days in soil 55-75°F. Keep seedlings moist. "Harden-off" and then transplant outdoors into prepared bed two weeks before the last frost. Set heirloom cauliflower plants out in full sun, 12-24" apart, in rows 18-36" apart. To keep head white, tie a few inner leaves over curd if plant does not curl leaves in on it's own (make sure head and foliage are not wet when doing so; if wet, can cause rot). Harvest when heads are firm and full sized for variety, and before sections start to separate. Cut a few wrapper leaves with head. Heirloom Cauliflower plants will keep up to a few wks if you pull up the plant, and hang it upside down in a cool place, misting regularly with water.



Early Snowball A

(Brassica oleracea) 52 days.

Pure white heads are smooth, medium deep and 6 - 7" across and weigh 1 - 2 pounds. They must be harvested promptly for best results. **Item No.** CfESA 50 Seeds per pack

Violetta Italia (Brassica oleracea)
85 days. Violetta Italia Heirloom
Open Pollinated Cauliflower are large
vigorous plants that produce large purple
heads that blanch to green when cooked.
Violetta Italia Cauliflower has a mild
broccoli like flavor, attractive and easy to
grow. Item No. CfViI 50 Seeds per pack



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Snowball Self-Blanching

(Brassica oleracea)
65 days. This variety
saves you work with it's
self-wrapping leaves,
preserving the white head

from sun and heat which will discolor cauliflower. The *Snowball Self-blanching Cauliflower*, is a neat old heirloom variety, which is getting difficult to find. Develops heads up to 6-8" in diameter, (does require tying of leaves over head if they get over 6 inches).

Item No. CfSfB 50 Seeds per pack

Snowball Y Improved

(Brassica oleracea) 68 days.

This cauliflower produces very flavor-

ful, dense, heavy heads. The *Snow-ball Y Improved Cauliflower* is snow -white, with silvery-green leaves that curl around the head making this a very nice self-blanching variety. Heads grow to 5-6" in diameter.

Item No. CfSYI 50 Seeds per pack

Celery

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Celery is one of the most challenging vegetables to grow, requiring a frost free (weather fluctuations and 7+ cold nights will cause young plants to "bolt" or set seed prematurely), cooler climate, with a long season, and plenty of water and nutrients. Start Celery seeds indoors 8-10 weeks before last frost . Plant seeds 1/8" deep. Germination should occur in 10-20 days at 55-70°F. Transplant Heirloom / Open Pollinated Celery when outdoor soil reaches 55°F. Set out in full sun, spacing plants 10-12" apart, in rows 18-24' apart. Harvest Celery when stalks large enough to use and have developed good color. Can harvest Celery stalks individually or pull whole plant and cut off roots.



Golden Self Blanche (a.k.a. Golden Self-Blanching, American or Fall Dwarf Strain, Burpee's Golden Self Blanching, Gigante Dorato)

85-100 days. An old-time favorite celery variety. *Golden Self-Blanche Celery* grows 25-30" tall and is full-hearted with pale yellow/green stalks. The plants are stocky, solid, and thick, with the stalks blanching easily. Te ribs are crunchy and tasty, without strings. A very popular tall celery for late fall use and winter storage. Excellent disease resistance.

Item No. CeGSB 200 Seeds per pack

(Apium graveolens)



Tall Utah 52-70 (a.k.a. Utah 52-70, Utah Giant 52-70, Utah Improved 52-70)

(Apium graveolens) 100-120 days. A better choice for short seasons than other varieties, as it can be harvested at a young stage. Tall Utah Celery 52-70 is an improved variety that grows taller,

with longer ribs, deeper green color and sweeter than the original Utah. This celery does not require blanching. Produces 11-12" stalks on plants that reach about 30" in height and are a medium dark green. *Tall Utah 52-70* is crisp, tender and tasty. Disease Resistant for Brown Check, Western Celery Mosaic.

Item No. CeTaU 200 Seeds per pack

Tendercrisp

(Apium graveolens)
90 -105 days.
Tendercrisp Heirloom Open
Pollinated Celery is a Giant
Pascal type with a 24" to 26"
tall massive head. Tendercrisp has smooth thick dark
green stalks, 11 to 12" to first
joint. Good home garden
variety.

Item No. CeTen 200 Seeds per pack

To sit back hoping that someday, some way, someone will make things right is to go on feeding the crocodile, hoping he will eat you last - but eat you he will.

- Ronald Reagan

Collards

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Collards are a cold hardy member of the cabbage family. Collards can be started from seed in early Spring when the soil temperature has reached 55-75°F, about 6-8 weeks before last frost, or for a Fall crop, plant mid-June to mid-July. Plant Collard seeds in full sun, ½" deep, a few seeds together (or more thickly if you want to use thinned young plants for an early crop), every 18-24", in rows 18-24" apart. Collards seeds should germinate in 5-17 days. When Collard plants reach 3", thin to the strongest plant in each group 18-24" apart. Start picking individual Collard leaves about 2 mos. after planting. Harvest Collards as needed, or pick and store in the refrigerator for a few days max. Collards usually survive into winter, down to 10°F, for a continued harvest. Collards tend to taste best after some frost exposure in fall!

Champion

(Brassica oleracea L. Acephala)
75 days. Champion Open Pollinated
Collards have large dark green leaves that
are slightly crumbled with a mild cabbage
like flavor. Plants are very vigorous and
frost tolerant. Champion Collards are
great for spring or summer greens.

Item No. CoCha
250 Seeds per pack

Georgia

(Brassica oleracea L. Acephala)
80 days. Georgia Open
Pollinated Collards are very
winter hardy and used primarily in the south. Georgia

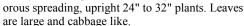
Collards are vigorous, 2 to 3' tall with crumbled leaves.

Item No. CoGeo 250 Seeds per pack



Vates (a.k.a. Blue Stem, Vates Non-Heading)

(Brassica oleracea L. Acephala)
75 days. Vates Open Pollinated
Collards is non heading and is also
bolt and frost resistant. Vates has
dark green crumpled leaves on vig-



Item No. CoVat 250 Seeds per pack



Corn - Broom

Corn is a warm to hot season annual, sensitive to cool soil. Direct seed when soil reaches 65-70°F. Plant seeds 1- 2" deep, 4-6" apart, in rows 20-30" apart, in full sun. Corn is wind pollinated, so plant in blocks of at least 4 rows. Germination should occur in 4 - 10 days in soil 65-85°F. When plants reach 4-5" tall thin to 8 -12" apart. Water regularly and deeply. For sweet corn, harvest when silk is drying and browning. For popcorn, flint, or dent corn harvest when kernels are hard and husks turn dry and loose their color. If weather turns too wet, corn can be brought inside to dry, laying out on screens, or hanging to dry.



Broom Corn (Mixed Colors) (Sorghum bicolor)

100-110 days. Not actually a true corn, rather it is an ornamental sorghum, very popular for decorations and crafts. *Mixed Colors Broom Corn* is a tall annual grass that looks like a corn plant, except that it makes fan-shaped seed heads instead of ears, appearing at the top of the plant in place of a tassel. The seeds are loved by birds, and are also edible and can be sprouted, cooked, popped, or ground into flour. Stalks grow 7-9' in height, with seed heads being 24-36" long. This *Mixed Colors Broom Corn* seed is, as the name implies, a mixture of many different broom corn varieties. The colors that predominate in this mix include gold, bronze, black, burgundy, red, white/cream, natural, and all shades of these colors. The broom heads can be harvested for brooms or ornamental

uses anytime after the seed head develops. Harvesting and drying the seed heads at various stages of development, result in varied appearances in the color of seed. As the plant matures, the seed heads will deepen in color and the seeds will become heavier and shiny, when dried they make a beautiful and unique addition to flower arrangements. The stalks when dried make excellent brooms, tie a few together to make a strong and long lasting broom. Item No. CnBrC 50 Seeds per pack

Corn - Sweet, Dent, and Flint



Black Aztec (a.k.a. Black Mexican) (*Zea mays*) 70-90 days. One of the few black corn varieties. Introduced in seed catalogs in 1864, *Black Aztec Corn* is great as sweet corn, but also makes delicious corn flour (makes a neat blueish-gray cornbread!). Stalks grow to 6', bearing 7-8" ears, that are white in the milk stage (sweet corn), and turn to a deep blue-black when

dry. Very hardy, grows well in many conditions. **Item No.** CnBA 50 Seeds per pack

Bloody Butcher (Zea mays)

110-120 days. A beautiful blood red and dark red mix. *Bloody Butcher Corn* is an old heirloom dent corn dating from the 1800s. Main uses are meal and flour, but also tastes good roasted, and can be eaten fresh when young. Makes lovely fall decoration.

Plants grow 10-12' tall, bearing at least two 10-12" ears per stalk. Withstands heavy winds and drought well.

Item No. CnBB 50 Seeds per pack



Never open the door to a lesser evil, for other and greater ones invariably slink in after it.
- Baltasar Gracian, author

Corn - Sweet, Dent, and Flint (cont.)



Blue Hopi (Zea mays)
75-110 days. An heirloom flint corn traditionally used as a staple by the Hopi Indian Tribe in northern Arizona.
Blue Hopi Corn grows on

bushy stalks about 5' tall, with 7-10" ears, with kernels turning dark blue at maturity. Extremely popular for making specialty foods such as blue corn tortillas, chips and breads. Very decorative.

Item No. CnBlH 50 Seeds per pack

Golden Bantam (a.k.a. Golden Bantam 8 Row or Yellow Bantam) (Zea mays) 70-85 days. Introduced to the corn market by W. Atlee Burpee in 1902. Prior to 1900 most people thought



that yellow corn was fit only for animal feed. But shortly after the introduction of *Golden Bantam Sweet Corn* people in the U.S. began to actually favor yellow corn. *Golden Bantam* has been the family standard for sweet corn for generations now, and with good reason, with its fantastic sweet flavor that is great for fresh eating or freezing. Grows 5-6' tall and produces 5-7" ears, each filled with golden yellow kernels. Reliable, adaptable and very sweet for an open-pollinated heirloom corn.

Item No. CnGoB 50 Seeds per pack

Hickory King White

(Zea mays)

90 days. A great variety for a number of uses. *Hickory King* is a dent corn used for roasting (when young), grits, corn-nuts, corn meal,



and tortilla flour. Considered the best variety for hominy because the skin of the kernel is easily removed by soaking. The large flavorful kernels are the largest kernels of any variety of corn. Makes perfect trellises for beans, with it's very tall, sometimes 12' stalks. Ears grow to 7-8" with 10-12 rows of kernels. Does well in poor soil. Husks are tighter than most varieties and give excellent protection from beetles and earworm. Good disease tolerance.

Item No. CnHKW 50 Seeds per pack



Pencil Cob (Zea mays)
76 - 100 days. Pencil Cob
Heirloom Open Pollinated
Corn is an old Shoepeg type
dry corn with very deep kernels and almost no cob. Pencil
Cob is very sweet at the milk

stage and has sturdy 6 ft. tall plants. **Item No.** CnPeC 50 Seeds per pack

Boone County White (Zea mays) 110-120 days. Boone County White Corn is one of the oldest of the heirloom white varieties, believed to have originated in Indiana and descended from 'White Mastadon'. with its history dating back to at least the Civil War. Considered to be one of the finest of corn varieties specifically bred for roasting, it is known to be a favorite at festivals and fairs. 10-12' leafy stalks bear large 10-12" ears with 18-24 rows of pure white, delicious kernels. In its early use, it was grown extensively in the south for grinding and making corn bread, but is now often picked young for roasting. Also makes a good fodder crop.

Item No. CnBCW 50 Seeds per pack

Golden Bantam Improved (a.k.a. Golden Bantam 12 Row) (Zea mays)

75-82 days. This variety is an improved version of the old standard yellow sweet corn. *Golden Bantam Improved Sweet Corn* was selected for longer ears and improved tenderness. Although some like the smaller ears of the original *Golden Bantam*, others like larger ears. Instead of 8 rows, this variety has 10-14 rows on each ear. Excellent sweet flavor. An early main crop variety, a long time standard for home gardeners and market growers alike. Ideal for freezing and fresh eating.

Item No. CnGBI 50 Seeds per pack



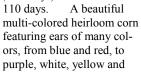
Indian Flint (Zea mays) 105-110 days. A nice ornamental corn with large variegated ears, contrasting colors of red, blue, white, yellow, etc.. Ornamental Indian Flint Corn adds au-

tumn color to centerpieces and arrangements. Use alone or with gourds, foliage or pumpkins. For ornamental corn leave on the stalk until kernels become hard.

Item No. CnInF 50 Seeds per pack

Ornamental Indian

(Zea mays)





many shades in between. *Ornamental Indian Corn* ears are often used for decoration, a basket of Indian corn makes an attractive gift, and is a good seller at craft shows. Excellent for home gardens and market growers. Along with the many colored kernels, some ears have purple husks, adding to their ornamental beauty. **Item No.** CnOrI 50 Seeds per pack



Country Gentleman (a.k.a. Shoepeg Corn) (Zea mays)

83-100 days. Introduced in 1890 by Frank C. Woodruff of S. D. Woodruff & Sons, from Orange, Connecti-

cut and the following year by Peter Henderson & Co. of New York. Country Gentleman Sweet Corn is an old-fashioned "shoe peg" type corn, meaning the creamy white kernels are in an irregular pattern as opposed to rows. Stalks grow to 7-8' tall, producing up to 3 ears each. Ears grow to 8", with tender, sweet, and creamy kernels. Makes some of the best cream corn you'll ever taste, which freezes well, giving you a taste of delicious sweet corn from your garden even on the most bitter winter days! Good for canning and freezing whole as well. Master fishermen find it makes a superior corn bait. Has better resistance to corn smut than earlier, smaller varieties of sweet corn.

Item No. CnCoG 50 Seeds per pack



Henry Moore

(Zea mays)
110 days. Henry Moore
Heirloom Open Pollinated
Dent Corn has large flat
kernels in 9 - 10" ears and
the stalks are heavily leaved.

Henry Moore Dent Corn is exceptionally high in protein and is used for feeding livestock.

Item No. CnHeM 50 Seeds per pack

Corn - Sweet, Dent, and Flint (cont.)



Reids Yellow Dent

(Zea mavs) 100 days. Reids Yellow Dent Open Pollinated Corn is the most popular yellow variety of roasting ear grown in this country. Adapted to vir-

tually every state, especially western, central, and southern. Reids yellow Dent kernels are deep yellow with a lighter cap but often there is a reddish tinge that appears. Ears are 9" to 10" long and corn stalks are heavy, tall, and leafy. Item No. CnRYD 50 Seeds per pack

Truckers Favorite White (Zea mays) 95-105 days. A nice white dent corn variety, a favorite for roasting or frying. Trucker's Favorite White Corn produces 9" ears with 16-18 rows of tender, sweet, white corn. on stalks 6-7' tall. As with all field corn, it is best picked during the early milk stage for fresh eating. The dried kernels can be ground for flour or used as livestock feed. Makes great cornbread. Widely adapted, but particularly well suited for the Cotton Belt and the South. Heat tolerant and does well, even in adverse weather conditions. Resists corn earworms. Disease Resistant. High yields. Item No. CnTFW 50 Seeds per pack



Stowell's Evergreen

(Zea mays) 80-100 days. Developed by Nathan Stowell of New Jersey in 1848 as a cross between Menomony Soft Corn and Northern Sugar Corn. After 150 years, Stow-

ell's Evergreen Corn, is still the leading white variety for home gardens and market growers. Produces 9" ears, on 8' tall stalks, with 16-20 rows of plump, sweet white kernels. Remains in the milk stage a long time, hence the name 'evergreen'. A very good keeper, in fact in old times people would pull up the whole plant once mature, hanging the plants upside-down in a cool pantry; the ears would last well into the winter, in a semifresh state. Excellent for fresh eating, canning, and freezing. Item No. CnStE 50 Seeds per pack

Silvermine (Zea mays)

97 - 110 days. Silvermine Heirloom Open Pollinated Corn has extremely high yields of large heavy 11" to 12" roasting ears with creamy white kernels. Silvermine is resistant to worm damage, excellent for shipping. heavy dark green husks holds there color well, and does well in poor soil. Silvermine was introduced in 1890. Item No. CnSiM 50 Seeds per pack

Truckers Favorite Yellow

(Zea mays)

70-105 days. A very hardy variety of dent corn commonly used fresh for roasting, much hardier than any sweet corn, and can be planted weeks earlier. Trucker's Favorite Yellow Corn produces fine 8-10" ears with 14 -18 rows of plump, tender, sweet corn on heavy stalks 8-8 1/2' tall. Preferred over the white for fresh eating. As with all field corn, it is best picked during the early milk stage for fresh eating. The dried kernels can be ground for flour or used as livestock feed. Widely adapted, but particularly well suited for the Cotton Belt and the South. Heat tolerant and does well, even in adverse weather conditions. Resists corn earworm's. Disease Resistant. High yields.

Item No. CnTFY 50 Seeds per pack

Corn - Popcorn



Calico Popcorn

(Zea mays) 90-105 days. A hard to find gourmet popcorn, midway between miniature popcorn and Indian corn in size. Calico Pop-

corn boasts 5-8" ears, full of color, with possible shades being yellow, brown, white, purple, red, blue, and calico. Used for popcorn or for decorations. Either way you use it, this is a very fun variety to grow. Item No. CnCaP 50 Seeds per pack

Lady Finger (a.k.a. Lady Finger Rainbow) (Zea mays)

Lady Finger Heirloom 105 days. Open Pollinated Popcorn is an old heirloom that has become very popular and is in great demand among the Amish communities in Ohio and Indiana. Lady Finger has small yellow kernels that are very tender when popped. Short stocky plants yield 1 to 4 slender 6" to 7" ears of mostly yellow kernels with a sprinkling of red and purple.

Item No. CnLaF 50 Seeds per pack

Carousel (Mini Pop-

corn) (Zea mays) 104 -110 days. A verv ornamental miniature popcorn. Carousel Mini Popcorn plants grow up to 8' tall with 2-3 ears per stalk, 3-4" in



length. Colors include red, blue, yellow, and white, making this variety great for fall decorating. When used as popcorn the tiny kernels pop up crisp and tender, with very little hull. Item No. CnCar 50 Seeds per pack

Japanese Hulless White Popcorn (a.k.a.

Tom Thumb, White Rice, and Early White) (Zea mays) 85-105 days.



popularity with home gardeners. Japanese Hulless White Popcorn is very prolific, producing 3-6 small 4" ears per stalk. Stalks are dwarf in habit, reaching only about 5' tall. Kernels are arranged irregularly on cob and are unusually tender, sweet, and pure white and nearly hulless when popped. Excellent white popping corn. **Item No.** CnJWH 50 Seeds per pack

Strawberry Popcorn

(Zea mays) 80-114 days. A beautiful and unique variety used for gourmet popcorn as well as neat looking fall decorations. Kids love growing Strawberry Popcorn for its unique strawberry



shape and color, and they love watching it pop, turning from ruby red to a delicious fluffy white snack! Plants grow to about 4', producing 2-4 ears each. Ears grow to 2-3" with irregularly spaced kernels. This variety is also used for edible sprouts, why not grow your own sprouting seeds this year. Sprouting them is easy, and you get an excellent corn flavor, with all the health benefits of home grown sprouts. Delicious and nutritious! Easy to grow, and because of the small size some even grow Strawberry Popcorn in tubs or containers. Item No. CnStr 50 Seeds per pack

South American Yellow Popcorn (a.k.a.

Dynamite) (Zea mays) 110 days. Very high yields and great flavor make this hard to find variety the perfect choice for the popcorn lover. South American Yellow Popcorn produces 2 or 3 large 7-9" ears per 5' stalk, with 12-14 rows of large yellow kernels per ear. When popped they become mushroom shaped with a delicious buttery

Item No. CnSAY 50 Seeds per pack

Cucumber - Pickling

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Cucumbers are heat loving, frost sensitive vines. Plant heirloom cucumber seeds in full sun, ½ - ¾" deep, in 1' diameter hills of 4-6 seeds each, 3-4' apart. Germination occurs in 4-13 days in soil 70-95°F. Thin to 1 -2 plants per hill. In short season climates you can start cucumber seeds indoors 3 weeks before last frost, in individual peat pots at least 3½" across. Harden off heirloom cucumbers plants for 1 week before setting out. Harvest regularly for continuous production, making sure to pick overripe cucumbers that were missed. Heirloom slicing cucumbers are best when uniformly green, firm and crisp. For pickles harvest cucumbers when 2-6" according to preference.



Boston Pickling

(Cucumis sativus) 57 days. Boston Pickling is a popular old time standard for pickling. Boston Pickling has

vigorous vines that produce dark green fruit that are 5" to 6" long and 2" to 2.5" across.

Item No. CuBoP 25 Seeds per pack

Bush Pickle (Cucumis sativus) 45-50 days. A hard to find, compact, highly productive, open-pollinated variety. Bush Pickle Cucumber plants only grow to 3', about half the size of typical vining plants, making it even easier to get to the cukes at harvest time. Very

nice for small gardens and container gardening on patios and rooftops, a popular way to grow your own vegetables these days! Try growing 2 plants in a 5 gallon container. Fruits grow to 4-5", medium green with white spines, and slightly tapered. Tolerant to Scab and CMV. Item No. CuBuP 25 Seeds per pack



Homemade Pickles

(Cucumis sativus) 54-60 days. Boasts very heavy yields of small green cucumbers, bred especially for making pickles. The Homemade Pickle Cucumber



are a semi-bush type plant, producing solid, crisp, small, white spined fruits up to 5 1/2" in length. Can be picked starting at 1 1/2" for midget pickles, or at full maturity for dills. Good disease resistance.

Item No. CuHoP 25 Seeds per pack

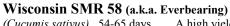


National Pickling Improved

(Cucumis sativus) 54 days. A very prolific, oldfashioned variety, a favorite among gardeners. The National Pickling Improved Cucumber grows to 6" long, medium green, with black spines. They can be sliced for eating or used for pickles, a very versatile variety. The spines have to be rubbed and washed off before pickling.

Ideal for dill pickles. A great variety for the home gardener.

Item No. CuNPI 25 Seeds per pack



(Cucumis sativus) 54-65 days. A high yielding, vigorous and long bearing variety, developed at the University of Wisconsin. The Wisconsin SMR 58 Pickling Cucumber produces fine, straight, uniform, blocky, dark green cucumbers with black spines, slightly tapered at the ends. Resistant to Cucumber Mosaic, Scab, and Spot Rot.

Item No. CuSMR 25 Seeds per pack



Cucumber - Slicing



Bush Crop

(Cucumis sativus) 55 days. A very popular, quick maturing, easy to grow variety. The Bush Crop Cucumber produces delicious, 6-8" deep green fruits on compact,

bushy 18-36" plants. Perfect sliced in salads, or cut lengthwise and eaten as sticks, try them with dip, one of our favorite ways to enjoy them. No. CuBuC 25 Seeds per pack

Lemon Cucumber (a.k.a. True Lemon. White Lemon, Lemon Apple, Apple Shaped, Apple, Crystal Apple) (Cucumis sativus) 58 - 70 days. Lemon Cucumbers

have a real rich yellow skin when ripe and the flesh is white, crisp, mild, and burpless. Lemon cucumbers are much sweater than other cucumbers and are great in salads. Fruit are shaped like a lemon or and apple and are not long. Item No. CuLem 25 Seeds per pack



even in hot weather, producing dark green, blocky, 8-9" fruits, white spined and tapered at both ends. Sweet and mild flavor. High quality and great yields. Disease resistance: CMV, PM, DM, ALS, AN, and scab. Item No. CuM76 25 Seeds per pack

Spacemaster 80 Bush

(Cucumis sativus) 57-64 days. This bush cucumber is perfect for small gardens, raised beds, or growing in containers, providing easy access at harvest. Has fine



flavor, and does not turn bitter, even when grown in full sun. These compact plants produce very high yields of 7-8" fruits, dark green and smooth. Pick frequently for continual yields. Try them as Grandma always prepared them with onions, soaked in vinegar and salt and pepper. Oh, they were delicious! Disease resistance: downy and powdery mildews, scab, and mosaic virus. Item No. CuSpB 25 Seeds per pack

Straight Eight

(Cucumis sativus) 52-75 days. Introduced by Ferry-Morse Seed Company in 1935, and that very vear won the All-American Selections Award! The



Straight Eight Cucumber produces remarkably uniform, straight, dark green, 8" long, 21/2" wide fruits, boasting a small seed cavity, with crisp fine-grained flesh. Perfect for slicing, salads, or dipping, and can be ground to make dill or sweet relish. Tolerant to mosaic. Item No. CuStE 25 Seeds per pack

Marketmore 76

(Cucumis sativus) 58-75 days. The Marketmore 76 Cucumber quickly became the standard in slicing cucumbers. Does very well



White Wonder

(Cucumis sativus) 35-60 days. A fun and interesting variety to grow, kids and kids at heart, who love to grow unusual vegetable varieties, will enjoy trying

these in their gardens! White Wonder Cucumbers produce white or ivory 7-9" long, 21/2-3" wide fruits. Excellent eating quality, with crisp, firm, mild flesh. Popular both for slicing and pickles! Or try them as Mom used to prepare them on hot Summer days, sliced up with onions in Ranch salad dressing, what a refreshing side dish! Highly productive, even in hot weather. Item No. CuWhW 25 Seeds per pack

Eggplant

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Eggplants are heat loving plants requiring a long growing season. In cool or short season climates start eggplant indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost, keeping soil at 75-85°F, by applying bottom heat. Transplant heirloom eggplant after the danger of frost, once the soil is warm. For direct seeding eggplant outdoors, plant in full sun, 1/4" deep, 12-18" apart, in rows 2-21/2' apart. Germination occurs in 5-17 days in soil 70-85°F. Stake tall heirloom eggplant varieties to keep the fruits off the ground. Start picking eggplants as soon as they're big enough to use, and are still glossy. Harvest with a knife or pruning shears. If eggplant fruits turn dull or brown, they are overripe.



Black Beauty (Solanum melongena)

Black Beauty Open Pollinated Eggplant produces a very high yield of round oval fruit that is glossy and deep purple in color. Black Beauty carries is fruit well off the ground so fruit stays much cleaner.

Item No. EgBlB 50 Seeds per pack



Florida Market (a.k.a. Cooks Strain)

(Solanum melongena) 78 - 90 days. Florida Market Open Pollinated Eggplants grow from 30" to 38" tall and produces fruit that is glossy, dark purple, and around 9" long. Florida Market Eggplant is almost resistance to sunscald and is very prolific.

Item No. EgFlM 50 Seeds per pack

Long Purple (Solanum melongena)

Long Purple Open Pollinated Egg-80 days. plant grows from 20" to 38" tall and does well in the north. Long Purple Eggplant fruit is 8" to 10" long and has a firm but mild flesh. Yield 4 or more fruits per plant.

Item No. EgLoP 50 Seeds per pack



Rosa Bianca

(Solanum melongena)

Rosa Bianca Heirloom Open Pollinated Eggplant is an Italian heirloom with stunning light pink lavender fruits with an occasional creamy white shade. Flesh is meaty, mild flavored, with no bitterness.

Item No. EgRoB 50 Seeds per pack



Endive and Chicory



Batavian Full Heart

(Cichorium endivia) 80 days. Batavian Full Heart Heirloom Open Pollinated Endive has smooth upright broad outer leaves. Batavian Full Heart has

center leaves that are curly, bunched, and bleach well. Item No. EnBFH 200 Seeds per pack



Heirloom Open Pollinated Chicory is in the Endive family. Emerald Catalogna produces deep cut broad dandelion like leaves and stalks used

for early greens with asparagus like flavor. Rapid grower and slow to bolt. Item No. ChEmC 200 Seeds per pack



Green Curled Ruffec

(Cichorium endivia) 90 days. Green Curled Ruffic Open Pollinated Endive readily blanches to a creamy white in the center. Green Curled

Ruffec is a popular home garden variety. Item No. EnGCR 200 Seeds per pack

Salad King (Cichorium endivia)

Salad King Heirloom Open Polli-50 - 100 days. nated Endive can be harvested as a baby leaf. As it matures it produces large dark green finely cut leaves that are vigorous and non bolting. Tie or rubber band outer leaves to blanch the inner 22 to 24 heart with white ribs. Salad King performs well under stress and

works good as a summer or fall crop. Resists tip burn and frost.

Item No. EnSaK 200 Seeds per pack



Witloof (Cichorium endivia)

Witloof Heirloom Open Pollinated 55 - 150 days. Endive was discovered in the mid 1800's in Belgium. Cut Witloof Endive early for tender baby leafs or let it grow in your garden for a full season Endive. Witloof plants grow 15 to 18" tall with a mild acidic flavor. Roots can be dried and toasted for a coffee substitute. In

the fall you can trim the tops off and transplant indoors for a winter

crop. Item No. EnWit 200 Seeds per pack



Garden Huckleberry

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Garden Huckleberries tolerate a wide variety of climates and conditions, but do not tolerate frost. Can direct sow or start garden huckleberries indoors 4-6 wks before last frost, transplanting outdoors after danger of frost. Sow seeds 1/4" deep. Plant or set out garden huckleberries in full sun, or with afternoon shade in hot climates. Germination occurs in 5-15 days in soil 65-90°F. Thin plants to or set out plants 10-12" apart, in rows 2' apart. Garden Huckleberries are self supporting, but do sprawl, so caging or trellising is recommended where space is limited. Harvest in mid- to late August, after the berries have been black for two to three weeks and turn from glossy to dull.



Garden Huckleberry (Solanum melanocerasum) 75-80 days Originating in Africa, the Garden Huckleberry grows to 3 feet tall and resembles a pepper plant. Each plant bears hundreds of 1/2 in - 3/4 in, dark purple, almost black, berries all Summer long. Not recommended to eat raw, but they make wonderful jams, jellies, syrups, preserves, and pies. Can be canned or frozen for use all year round. The fruit is harvested when it turns from glossy to dull. Very easy to grow! Good soil is best. Garden Huckleberry Pie recipe included in every seed packet! Item No. ToGdnHb 25 Seeds per pack

Ground Cherry

May be direct seed Heirloom / Open Pollinated Ground Cherrys in long season climates, otherwise it is recommended to start indoors 4-6 wks. before last frost date. When direct seeding Heirloom / Open Pollinated Ground Cherrys, plant 0.25" deep. Plant in full sun or with afternoon shade in hot climates. Thin Ground Cherrys to 12-24" apart. Give an average water supply. Ground Cherrys plants are self supporting, but do sprawl, so caging or trellising is recommended in small Heirloom / Open Pollinated Vegetable Gardens. Ground Cherry Fruits are mature when husks are light tan, and fruits fall from plant.

Do not eat immature Heirloom / Open Pollinated Ground Cherries, as they contain a toxic compound!

Ground Cherry, Cossack Pineapple (Physalis pruinosa)

60-80 days This close relative of the tomatillo has a delightfully tropical taste, sweet, with a pineapple like flavor, a favorite among children. *Ground Cherries* are delicious fresh, but also are great in pies, preserves, hot dessert toppings, and even in salads, or on pizza for those who like pineapple on their pizza! Short plants, 12-18", produce large yields of bite sized fruits, golden-yellow in color at maturity, paper husk covering fruit will turn tan at maturity. Branches spread laterally, choking out weeds, and bushes have been known in some conditions to be large enough to require staking. A true heirloom, recorded as early as 1837 in Pennsylvania. A neat plant to grow, we have really enjoyed them!



Caution: Do not eat immature *Ground Cherries* as they are poisonous, containing the same compound as green potatoes, also dangerous to eat. Both are of the nightshade family. Wait until papery husks turn light tan in color to eat *Ground Cherries*.

Item No. ToGrCh 25 Seeds per pack

Herbs - Annual



Amaranth - Red Garnet

(Amaranthus hypochondriacus)
Heirloom Red Garnet Amaranth produces oval shapes
leaves with a unique flavor for salads. Amaranth - Red Garnet leaves are green over laid with

burgundy red from the center vane out. Gets the best red color in high heat.

Item No. HeARG 100 Seeds per pack

Arugula - Rouquette

(Eruca vesicaria subsp. sativa) 40 days. Arugula - Rouquette grows 12" to 30" high and has a slightly peppery taste. Both the leaves and flowers are used in salads, sandwiches,



tomato recipes, and as a garnish for fish dinners. **Item No.** HeAru 50 Seeds per pack



Basil - Lemon

(Ocimum citriodorum) 80 days. Lemon Basil has a heavy lemon lime scent that is excellent for herb vinegars and used in fish dinners.

Item No. HeBLe 50 Seeds per pack

Borage (Borago officinalis)

Heirloom Borage is very attractive to bees. Big plants bear tiny blue and pink blossoms for garnishes and salads from late spring into fall. Seeds are a rich source of gammalinolenic acid.



Item No. HeBor 50 Seeds per pack



Anise

(Pimpinella anisum)
75 days. Anise is a dainty herb 24" high grow for its seed. Anise seed tea aids in digestion and sooth's cough's. Seedlings should be

thinned to 4" apart. **Item No.** HeAni 50 Seeds per pack

Basil - Cinnamon

(Ocimum basilicum) 80 days. Cinnamon Basil has a very sweet cinnamon scent, very popular in herbal tea and potpourri. Violet colored stems, vein-



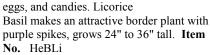
ing and flower bracts with lavender flowers. Cinnamon Basil grows 28" to 30" tall.

Item No. HeBaC 50 Seeds per pack

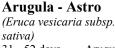


Basil - Licorice

(Ocimum basilicum) 80 days. Licorice Basil adds a mild licorice flavor to vegetables, soups, casseroles,



50 Seeds per pack



31 - 52 days. Arugula - Astro **Strap Leaf Strain.** Clip early at the 6" leaf stage and add to lettuce and



other greens for salads or Mesclun mixes. You can also harvest Arugula - Astro when it is mature. **Item No.** HeArA 50 Seeds per pack



Basil - Sweet Italian Large Leaf (

Ocimum basilicum)
90 days. Italian Large
Leaf Basil is a sweeter pesto
type with large medium dark
green leaves mostly used for

spicing foods. Italian Large Leaf Basil grows 24" to 36" tall. Item No. HeBIL 50 Seeds per pack

Anyone can be a Father, but it takes someone special to be a Daddy!

Herbs - Annual (cont.)



Chervil (Anthriscus cerefolium)

60 days. Chervil is a delicately flavored herb that thrives in cool weather, requires some shade, and well drained soil. Plant Chervil in

early spring and allow a few plants to go to seed each year so you can be assured a continuous supply. Chervil is primarily used in the kitchen for flavor. Try it with fish, asparagus, potatoes or in soups.

Item No. HeChe 50 Seeds per pack

Corn Salad - Dutch

(Valerianella locusta) Heirloom Open Pollinated Dutch Corn Salad is a great salad green for early spring, late fall, or for your winter greenhouse. Long oval glossy green leaves are ten-



der with a minty flavor. High in iron.

Item No. HeCSD 300 Seeds per pack



Dill, Dukat (Anethum graveolens)

68 days. Dukat Dill is an improved variety that has a high essential oil content of 3%. Dukat Dill has flower heads that are at a more uni-

form height and the plant is straight and clean for easier harvesting. A week later to flower than Bouquet Dill.

Item No. HeDiD 50 Seeds per pack

Marjoram, Sweet

(Origanum marjorana) 70 days. Sweet Marjoram has fresh leaves that can be used to flavor sauces, meats. pastas, fish, and beans. Sweet Marjoram retains it full flavor when cooked.



Item No. HeMaS 100 Seeds per pack

Coriander (Cilantro)

(Coriandrum sativum) 50 days.

Item No. HeCoC 50 Seeds per pack

Corn Salad - French

(Valerianella locusta) Heirloom Open Pollinated French Corn Salad is another strain of corn salad for salads. French Corn Salad has bright green leaves that are a great



source of iron. Plant in early spring and again in late summer for fall a crop.

Item No. HeCSF 300 Seeds per pack



Dill, Mammoth Long

Island (Anethum graveolens) 70 days. Mammoth Long Island Dill has bright yellow blooms. Its leaves and seeds are used for sauces and pick-

Item No. HeDiM 50 Seeds per pack



Parsley, Moss Curled (a.k.a. Forest Green, Paramount, Fine/Double/Triple/ **Dark Moss Curled)**

(Petroselinum crispum) 125 days. Moss Curled Parsley is a vigorous, produc-

tive, compact 12" tall plant that produces very dark green finely cut, deep curled leaves. Moss Curled Parsley is such a thickly curled bunch of leaves that it resembles a mound of moss. Item No. PaMoC

100 Seeds per pack



Coriander (Leisure)

(Coriandrum sativum) 50 days.

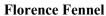
Item No. HeCoL 50 Seeds per pack



Dill, Bouquet (Anethum graveolens) 65 days.

Bouquet Dill is the most widely grown dill. Bouquet Dill blooms early with large seed umbels and foliage for

pickling. Îtem No. HeDiB 50 Seeds per pack



(Foeniculum vulgare var. azoricum) 65 days.

Florence Fennel leaves have Anise like flavor and are used to season salads, eggs, fish, and sauces. Resembles Celery.

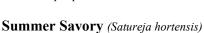
Item No. HeFlF 50 Seeds per pack



Parsley, Plain Leaf (a.k.a. Plain, Common, Simple, Celery Leaf Parslev, Italian Dark Green Plain/Single/Flat/Broad Leaf) (Petroselinum cris-

Plain Leaf Parsley has leaves 125 days. that are flat with rich flavor. Plain Leaf is preferred by many cooks for its finer flavor. Item No. PaPlL

100 Seeds per pack



Summer Savory is used in the kitchen for its flavor, and crushed, it is good in an emergency to relieve the pain of bee stings.

Item No. HeSuS 50 Seeds per pack



Herbs - Perennial



Caraway (Biennial)

(Carum Carvi) 70 days.

Caraway is a spicy culinary favorite for flavoring salads, breads, and vegetables. Its also used for indigestion, flatulence, and

Item No. HeCaB 50 Seeds per pack



Catnip

(Nepeta cataria) 75 days.

Catnip is a vigorous growing mint that has a rather "strange" effect on cats. Has a good relaxing effect on children if brewed as a tea.

Catnip can also be used for colds, flu, and fever. Item No. HeCat 50 Seeds per pack



(Allium schoenoprasum) 80 days. Chives add a mild onion flavor to foods. Plants grow in grass like clusters for fresh seasoning. Chives in full bloom

have round pink flowers that are edible. Item No. HeChi

50 Seeds per pack



Herb - Perenniai

Herbs - Perennial (cont.)



Chives (Garlic) a.k.a. Chinese Chives

(Allium tuberosum) 80 days. Garlic Chives have thin flat leaves with a delicate garlic flavor. Chop into salads or sprinkle onto

cooked vegetables. Moderately hardy, mulch where temperatures are -10° or lower. Item No. HeChG 50 Seeds per pack

Hyssop

(Hyssopus officinalis) Heirloom Hyssop is a biblical mint family plant with bright blue flowers. Hyssop can be used as an antiviral and respiratory medicinal.



Can also be used for colds, flu, bronchitis, sore throat, bruises, and burns. The tea has a soothing quality.

Item No. HeHys 50 Seeds per pack



Oregano, Italian (a.k.a. Hardy Sweet Marjoram)

(Origanum x majoricum) 90 days. (The also known as Hardy Sweet Marjoram title is not to be taken as being the same as Sweet

Marjoram. Sweet Marjoram is a separate and distinct cultivar of it's own. Italian Oregano is a sweeter version of Greek Oregano.) Item No. HeOrI 50 Seeds per pack

Sage, Broadleaf

(Salvia Officinalis) 75 days. Heirloom Broadleaf Sage is used extensively for food flavoring in dressings, sausage, sauces, and teas. Broadleaf



Sage has a showy blanket of tiny early summer lavender blooms. Also used in herbal and floral wreaths. Digestive and nerve tonic.

Item No. HeSaB 50 Seeds per pack



Cress - Garden (a.k.a. Peppergrass, Lan d Cress, or American Cress) (Lepidium sativum) 10 days from sprout.

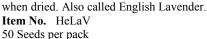
Heirloom Garden Cress tastes like Watercress and likes mois-

ture with some shade. Does good in cool greenhouses or window boxes. Garden Cress leaves are extra curled. Item No. HeCrG 100 Seeds per pack

Lavender Vera

(Lavandula vera) 80 days. Lavender Vera

has a clean fresh fragrance for sachet making, potpourri, and wreaths. The flowers are used





Peppermint

Peppermint leaves, green or dried, can be brewed into a refreshing drink that is good hot or cold. Peppermint oil is used for flavoring candy and deserts. Also good for indiges-

tion and colds. Item No. HePep 50 Seeds per pack

Thyme (a.k.a. Comon Thyme, Garden Thyme, Winter Thyme, and German **Thyme)** (Thymus vulgaris)

85 days. Heirloom Thyme is great fresh or dried in beans or soups. Thyme is also an aid

for sore throats and coughs. Makes a soothing tea and massage oil. Very hardy perennial.

Item No. HeThy 50 Seeds per pack



Wormwood

(Artemisia absinthium)

Heirloom Wormwood has feathery silver green foliage that will grow into a tall hedge when planted 24" apart. Also makes an attractive back-

ground for wreaths and bouquets. For medicinal purposes, its a bitter tonic. Germination is naturally very low on Wormwood! Item No. HeWor

300 Seeds per pack



Fennel - Sweet

(Foeniculum vulgare) Heirloom Sweet Fennel have feathery leaves that are sweet in flavor and make a great addition to salad, cole slaw, and dressings. To produce

seeds for baking and medicinal uses, you must over winter plants. They will not produce seeds the first year. Heirloom Sweet Fennel is not winter hardy, so they must be brought indoors or protected from root freezing. Item No. HeFeS 50 Seeds per pack

Lemon Balm

(Melissa officinalis) Heirloom Lemon Balm has a strong lemon scent with long narrow green leaves that look almost like blades of grass. Lemon Balm has medicinal



benefits for colds, flu, depression, headache, and indigestion. Should be mulched over winter to avoid freeze out in harsh climates.

Item No. HeLeB 50 Seeds per pack



Rosemary

Rosemary has a sweetly pungent, piney mint flavor. Used for flavoring, especially poultry. Rosemary also helps with headaches, stimulating circulation, and used in shampoo.

Rosemary takes a long time to germinate. Item No. HeRos 50 Seeds per pack

Yarrow

(Achillea Millefolium)

Heirloom Yarrow has been used in many cultures for colds, fevers, and aids in healing wounds. Topically, crushed flower tops and



leaves stop bleeding. The white flowers of Yarrow have stronger medical qualities than the leaves.

Item No. HeYar 300 Seeds per pack

Never rebuke while you're indignant about a fault committed - wait until the next day or even longer. And then, calmly, and with a purer intention, make your reprimand. You will gain more by a friendly word than by a three hour quarrel.

- Jose' Maria Escriva



Kale

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Kale is a short season brassica that performs best in cool weather and can tolerate frost when established. For spring planting of Kale, start seeds indoors 4-6 weeks before last frost, or direct sow after danger of hard frost. In warm climates you can plant Kale in late summer for fall harvest. In hot climates you can plant Kale in the fall for a winter harvest. Plant Kale in full sun in more mild climates, or partial shade in very hot summer climates. Sow Kale seeds ½" deep, 3" apart, in rows 18-24" apart. Germination should occur in 5-17 days in soil 55-75°F. When Kale plants reach 3-5", thin to 12-18" apart. Outer leaves can be harvested at about 8-10" long, Avoid picking the inner leaves to avoid damaging the growing point. A light frost brings out the sweetness in fall or winter crops.

Kailaan (Chinese)

(a.k.a. Kailaan White Flowered, Chinese Broccoli, Gai-Lohn, Kailan) (Brassica oleracea)



65 days. Kailaan
Open Pollinated Kale (also called Chinese Broccoli) is similar to broccoli, but it has sweeter, more succulent flavor. Everything with Kailaan Kale can be eaten, including the leaves, stalks, buds, and flowers. Kailaan Kale can be steamed or stir-fried in just about any dish that you would use regular broccoli in. Item No. KaKaC 250 Seeds per pack



Red Russian (a.k.a. Ragged Jack)

(Brassica oleracea)

50 days. Red Russian Open Pollinated Kale has purple stems and leaves that are grey green with purple veins. Red Russian

will add lots of color to salads. Dip leaves in cold water to extend shelf life. Red Russian leaves are very tender compared to other kale varieties.

Item No. KaReR 250 Seeds per pack



Norfolk) (Brassica oleracea)
53 - 65 days. Scotch Blue
Curled Heirloom Open Pollinated
Kale has plants that are tall, curly,

and dark green in color. Blue Curled Scotch shows good tolerance to yellowing in cold weather. Light frost improves flavor and is slow to bolt.

Item No. KaSBC 250 Seeds per pack





Vates, Dwarf Blue Curled (Brassica oleracea)

55 days. Vates, Dwarf Blue Curled Open Pollinated Kale has sturdy upright compact plants 20" tall. Vates Dwarf Blue Curled is slow to bolt, very hardy with deep blue green curled leaves. Good for over wintering and resists yellowing in cold weather.

Item No. KaVaD 250 Seeds per pack

Kohlrabi

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Kohlrabi is a hardy biennial grown as an annual. Kohlrabi seeds can be started indoors 4-6 weeks before the last frost, then set out transplants when there are 6-8 true leaves and nighttime temps remain above 30° F. Direct sow Kohlrabi seeds 3-4 weeks before the last frost in spring, or in late summer for a winter harvest. Plant Kohlrabi in full sun, ½ - ½" deep, 1" apart in rows 12-18" apart. Thin Kohlrabi plants to or set out transplants 3-8" apart. Germination of Kohlrabi seeds should occur in 5-17 days in soil 55-75°F. For extended harvest of Kohlrabi, stagger plantings throughout a month in spring or fall plantings. For tender sweet Kohlrabi, harvest when stem reaches 2" in diameter. For general use and storage crop harvest at 3-5" in diam. Fall Kohlrabi crops will remain hardy to 10°F.



Early Purple Vienna (Brassica oleracea)

60 days. Early Purple Vienna Open Pollinated Kohlrabi have bulbs that are reddish purple with tender white flesh. Use Early Purple Vienna when bulbs are 2" to 2.5" in diameter.

Item No. KoEPV 400 Seeds per pack



Early White Vienna (Brassica oleracea)
56 days. Early White Vienna Open Pollinated
Kohlrabi bulbs have pale green skin with white flesh.
Early White Vienna is very popular.

Item No. KoEWV 400 Seeds per pack

Leek

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Leeks are a cool season biennial grown as an annual, thriving in well-worked, composted, well-drained soil, and lots of water. Usually heirloom Leeks are planted in fall in the South and the spring in the North. Leeks can be direct seeded or greenhouse started (to yield larger plants). To start indoors, plant leek seeds 8-10 weeks before last frost, ½" deep, 4 seeds per inch, in rows 3" apart in seed starting tray (later thin to ½" apart). Germination usually occurs within 6-16 days in soil 55-75°F. Transplant leeks to the garden after danger of frost setting out 4-6" apart, in rows 12-18" apart, in full sun. For best flavor, hill leek transplants with soil to just below the leaf junction as they grow, or you can plant heirloom leek seeds or transplants in trenches 5-6"deep, and fill them gradually as the plants grow. Harvest heirloom leeks when stalk reaches ½ -2" in diameter. Using a pitchfork to loosen the soil around and under the plant helps with harvest.



American Flag (a.k.a. Giant Musselburgh) (Allium ampeloprasum)

120 days. American Flag Open Pollinated Leek have large straight necks, vigorous growing and good quality. American Flag will even winter over for an early winter crop.

Item No. LeAmF 250 Seeds per pack

Lettuce - Head

Lettuce is a cool season crop, that requires fertile soil, and lots of moisture. Can be started indoors in individual pots 6 wks before last frost, and set out in cold frames when 3 wks old. To direct seed, sow as soon as soil can be worked, $\frac{1}{8}$ " deep, 1" apart, in rows 16-18 " apart. Germination occurs in 2-15 days in soil 40-75°F. Plant in full sun, or afternoon shade in hot climates. Thin out plants to, or set out at 10-16" apart. Can plant successive crops every 2-3 wks for longer harvest. In fall can plant again, starting 8 weeks before last frost. For loose leaf, can harvest the outer leaves early with a knife or scissors leaving the inner leaves to keep growing. For head lettuce harvest once the head becomes full and firm. It is best to harvest lettuce in the morning.



Bibb (a.k.a. Limestone, Limestone Bibb, Kentucky Bibb) (Lactuca sativa) 54 - 75 days. Bibb Heirloom Open Pollinated Butterhead Lettuce has loosely folded 3.5" heads with dark green

thick smooth brown tinged leaves, inside blanches golden yellow. Bibb does best if planted early, bolts in the hot weather. **Item No.** LeBib 250 Seeds per pack Buttercrunch (a.k.a. Buttercrunch Bibb, Butter King) (Lactuca sativa) 50 - 75 days. Buttercrunch Open Pollinated Butterhead Lettuce is crisp, tender, sweet,

and slow to bolt. Buttercrunch has a larger 4.5" head with the center of the head blanching to a yellow white color.

Item No. LeBut 250 Seeds per pack



Great Lakes 118 (a.k.a. Great Lakes 118 M.T.)

(Lactuca sativa)
63 - 90 days. Great
Lakes 118 Open Pollinated
Heading Lettuce produces
large cabbage-like head with

thick, broad, slightly crumpled leaves. With glossy dark green leaves this widely adapted variety is very cold hardy.

Item No. LeGrL 250 Seeds per pack



Iceberg (a.k.a. Black Seeded Iceberg, Giant Crystal Head) (Lactuca sativa) 82 days. Iceberg Open Pollinated Heading Lettuce is our most popular Head Lettuce. Iceberg has a large crisp head with curly leaves that have a mild flavor. Iceberg leaves are light green with a redish tinge.

Item No. LeIce 250 Seeds per pack

Summertime

(Lactuca sativa)

70 days. Summertime Open Pollinated Heading Lettuce almost never becomes bitter from the summer heat. Summertime has a solid head on a low growing compact plant that is slow to bolt.

Item No. LeSum 250 Seeds per pack



Lettuce - Loose Leaf



Amish Deer Tongue

(Lactuca sativa)
46 days. Amish Deer
Tongue Open Pollinated
Loose Leaf Lettuce has beautifully variegated crinkly red
green leaves that are very

tender. Amish Deer Tongue Lettuce is slow to bolt.

Item No. LeADT 250 Seeds per pack



Black Seeded Simpson (a.k.a. Best Of All, Simpson) (Lactuca sativa)

44 days. Black Seeded Simpson Heirloom Leaf Lettuce is our most popular lettuce. Black Seeded Simpson

is a large upright lettuce with broad light green leaves that are crisp with an excellent flavor. **Item No.** LeBSS 250 Seeds per pack

Flame (Lactuca sativa) 50 days. Flame Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce has leaves and stems that are bright red in color. Flame has leaves that hold their color well and is slow to

bolt. Flame resembles the Prizehead type loose leaf lettuce.

Item No. LeFla 250 Seeds per pack



Lolla Rosa

(Lactuca sativa)
53 days. Lolla Rosa
Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce is an Italian Leaf Lettuce especially good for garnishing. Lolla Rosa has

garnishing. Lolla Rosa has heavily frilled medium green leaves tipped with red. Lolla Rosa has a mild flavor and will form a loose head if planted 10" apart.

Item No. LeLoR 250 Seeds per pack



(Lactuca sativa)

45 days. Green Ice Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce is the least bitter of all lettuce's. Green Ice has dark green leaves that are crisp, wavy

edged and heavily crinkled and will not wilt as soon as others after cutting. In our garden we like to mix this one with Ruby Red Leaf Lettuce. **Item No.** LeGrI 250 Seeds per pack



(Lactuca sativa)
45 days. Grand Rapids
TBR Open Pollinated Leaf
Lettuce has large bright green
leaves that are broad with
wavy curled edges. Grand
Rapids TBR is resistant to tip burn.
Item No. LeGrR
250 Seeds per pack

Grand Rapids TBR



If you want to keep peace and charity among you, let each one be willing to take blame.

- Venerable Thecla Merlo

Lettuce - Loose Leaf (cont.)



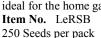
Lolla Rosa, Dark

(Lactuca sativa) 50 days. Lolla Rosa (Dark) Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce is an Italian Leaf Lettuce especially good for garnishing. Lolla Rosa (Dark)

has heavily frilled dark red leaves. Lolla Rosa has a mild flavor and will form a loose head if planted 10" apart.

Item No. LeLRD 250 Seeds per pack

Red Salad Bowl (a.k.a. Red Salad) (Lactuca sativa) Red Salad Bowl 55 days. Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce has leaves that are closely set, short, waved, and red in color. High table quality and ideal for the home garden.





Oakleaf (a.k.a. Green Oak Leaf)

(Lactuca sativa) 63 - 90 days. Oakleaf Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce is one of the most heat resistant types of leaf lettuce and almost never gets bitter. Oakleaf forms a light center, loose medium green outer leaves that are shaped like an

Oakleaf. Item No. LeOaL 250 Seeds per pack

Ruby Red (Lactuca sativa) 50 days. Ruby Red Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce is a red medium sized compact lettuce plant. Very decorative and flavorful in salads. In our garden we like to mix this one with Green Ice Leaf Lettuce.

Item No. LeRuR 250 Seeds per pack





Simpson Elite (Lactuca sativa)

Simpson Elite Open Pollinated Loose Leaf Lettuce is the first major improvement in Black Seeded Simpson Lettuce in over a century. Leaves are medium to light green in color, crumpled and bolt resistant.

Item No. LeSiE 250 Seeds per pack



Prizehead (a.k.a. All Cream, Prizehead Leaf, Brown Edged Leaf, Red Leaf, Bronze Prizehead, Red Fridge, Ruby)

(Lactuca sativa) 45 - 55 days. Prizehead

Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce has bright green leaves with a reddish brown edge. Prizehead Lettuce plants are large with broad crumbled, well fringed leaves. Stays crisp and tender over a longer period of time than most.

Item No. LePri 250 Seeds per pack

Salad Bowl (a.k.a. Green Salad Bowl, Green Salad) (Lactuca sativa) 45 - 60 days. Salad Bowl Open Pollinated Leaf Lettuce has leaves that are closely set, short, waved,

and green in color. High table quality and ideal for the home garden.

Item No. LeSaB 250 Seeds per pack



Lettuce - Romaine

Cimmaron (a.k.a. Deep Red, Little Leprechaun, Rouge d'Hiver) (Lactuca sativa)

66 days. Cimmaron Open Pollinated Romaine Lettuce have good heads that are

bronze red in color. Cimmaron Romaine Lettuce is late to bolt.

Item No. LeCim 250 Seeds per pack



65 days. Freckles Heirloom Romaine Lettuce has tender green leaves that are speckled with reddish-brown spots. Freckles is a great way to add color to your salads

Freckles (Lactuca sativa)

along with a higher dose of iron and other minerals.

Item No. LeFre 250 Seeds per pack



Parris Island COS

(Lactuca sativa) 66 days. Parris Island COS Open Pollinated Romaine Lettuce has the highest nutrition value of any Let-

tuce. Parris Island COS is tall with dark green outer leaves and a creamy colored center. Leaves are crisp and very flavorful.

Item No. LePaI 250 Seeds per pack



Lettuce Blend #1 (Lactuca sativa)

Ruby Red, Salad Bowl Green, Black Seeded Simpson, Buttercrunch, Salad Bowl Red, Paris Island COS

Item No. LeBl1 250 Seeds per pack

Lettuce Blend #2 (Lactuca sativa)

Oak Leaf, Black Seeded Simpson, Salad Bowl Green, 55 days. Salad Bowl Red, Ruby Red

Item No. LeBl2 250 Seeds per pack

Do not say that you have chaste minds if you have unchaste eyes, because an unchaste eye is the messenger of an unchaste heart. Lust served becomes custom, and custom unresisted becomes necessity. - St. Augustine of Hippo

Mustard

Sow seeds from early spring to late summer, 15 seeds per foot, 1/4" deep in a row spacing of 30" to 36" apart. Mustard can handle a light frost. Harvest leaves as needed



Florida Broadleaf (a.k.a. Florida Broad Leaf, Large Smooth Leaf) (Brassica

juncea)

45 days. Florida Broadleaf Open Pollinated Mustard are large upright spreading leafy

plants. Florida Broadleaf has dark green leaves and cream colored mid ribs. Item No. MuFlB 250 Seeds per pack



Giant Southern Curl (a.k.a. Giant Southern Curled Long **Standing)** (Brassica juncea) 45 days. Giant Southern Curl Open Pollinated Mustard has wide leaves that are bright green, frilled at the edges. Giant Southern Curl is

delicious when cooked like spinach and has a mild taste.

Item No. MuGSC 250 Seeds per pack



Tendergreen (Brassica rapa var. komatsuna) Tendergreen Open Pollinated Mustard that has a milder flavor and better drought tolerance. Tendergreen leaves are oblong, thick, smooth and glossy green.

Item No. MuTen 250 Seeds per pack



(Brassica juncea)

45 days. Green Wave Open Pollinated Mustard is the slowest to bolt of the green mustards. Green Wave has showy, frilled, bright green leaves that grow up to 12" tall. Hot mustard taste when raw and mild when cooked.

Item No. MuGrW 250 Seeds per pack



Heirloom / Open Pollinated Okra is a tender, heat loving annual. Heirloom Okra seed can be direct sown in hot climates, or started indoors 3-4 wks before the last frost for an early crop or in cooler climates. Soaking Okra seeds for 2 hours before planting will speed germination. To start Heirloom Okra seeds indoors plant ½" deep in 3" pots. Outdoors plant seeds 1-2 weeks after last frost, ½" deep, 4-8" apart, in rows 36" apart. Thin Okra plants to or set out transplants 12-24" apart. Plant or set Okra out in full sun. Germination should occur in 7-15 days in soil 70-90°F. Harvest Okra pods often, to encourage continuous fruit set. Cut fruit from plant with shears or knife (to prevent damage to plant), when tender pods are 2-4" long. Okra plants have short hairs that can be irritating to the skin. If irritation occurs wear long sleeves and gloves when harvesting.



Clemson Spineless 80 (a.k.a. Clemson 80)

(Abelmoschus esculentus) 55 days. Clemson Spineless 80 Open Pollinated Okra grows from 48' to 54' tall. Clemson Spineless 80 fruit are straight,

ridged, short, thick, and have a wonderful flavor. Item No. OkClS 50 Seeds per pack

Dwarf Long Green Pod

(Abelmoschus esculentus) 55 days. Dwarf Long Green Pod Open Pollinated Okra grows 2' to 3' tall and yields heavily. Dwarf Long Green Pod produces fruit that are dark green with shallow ridges.

Item No. OkDLGP 50 Seeds per pack



Red Burgundy (a.k.a. Burgundy) (Abelmoschus esculentus)

Red Burgundy 60 days. Open Pollinated Okra have an unusual red color. Pods stay red as long as they are fresh

and turn green when cooked. Red Burgundy grows to 5' tall. Item No. OkReB 50 Seeds per pack

Helpful Information For Saving Your Seeds

Don't forget, seeds are live organisms and need to be cared for until it is time to plant them. The best place to store your seeds is in a cool, dry, dark location. A good storage spot is in a sealed glass jar in your refrigerator.

Short Lived Seeds (1-2 years): sweet corn, lupine, okra, onion, parsley, parsnip

Intermediate Seeds (3-4 years): alyssum, asparagus, bean, broccoli, carrot, celery, echinacea, kohlrabi, leek, lettuce, marigold, morning glory, pea, pepper, snapdragon, spinach, sunflower, sweet pea

Long Lived Seeds (4-5 years +): beet, brussels sprouts, cabbage, cantaloupe, cauliflower, chard, collards, cucumber, dent/flint corn, eggplant, endive, kale, mustard, nasturtium, pumpkin, radish, rutabaga, squash, tomato, turnip, watermelon

> Years of seed viability listed are approximate and can be less or much more depending on environmental conditions.

Onion

Onion varieties are daylength sensitive: Short-day varieties do best in the South, Long-Day varieties in the North, and Intermediate-day length varieties can do well in both. They like fertile, well-drained soil. Seeds can be started indoors or direct seeded. To start indoors plant in pots or flats 8-10 wks before last frost, $\frac{1}{8}$ - $\frac{1}{4}$ " deep, 2-4 seeds per inch. Germination will occur in 6-16 days in soil 60-75°F. Keep seedlings cut back to about 3" until transplanting to strengthen seedling. Outdoors, plant at same depth and rate, in rows 12-24" apart, as soon as soil can be worked. Can set out transplants once the soil can be worked, about 4 wks before the last frost. Set out or thin to about 3-5" apart. Onions like full sun . Harvest when tops dry and fall over. Cure in dry place for 2-4 wks.



Barletta (Pearl)

(Allium cepa)
70 - 100 days. Barletta Pearl Open
Pollinated Onion produces beautiful
silver white pickling onions. Barletta
Pearl is one of the best cocktail onions
available. Excellent served whole in

sweet-sour sauce, boiled, or pickled. **Item No.** OnBaP 250 Seeds per pack

Texas Grano 1015Y

(Allium cepa)

175 days. Texas Grano 1015Y Open Pollinated Onion produces large 1 lb yellow skinned onion with sweet flavor. Texas Grano 1015Y is a short day onion.

Item No. OnTeG 250 Seeds per pack - \$2.25



Yellow Sweet Spanish (a.k.a. Giant Yellow Sweet Spanish, Yellow Sweet Spanish Jumbo)

(Allium cepa)

115 days. Yellow Sweet Spanish Open Pollinated Onion is a leader for

slicing. Large globe shape with a pleasing flavor that is fairly mild and sweet. Yellow Sweet Spanish is a long day type. **Item No.** OnYSS 250 Seeds per pack

Evergreen White Bunching

(Allium cepa)

Evergreen White
Bunching Open Pollinated Onion is a
bulbless variety used
only for bunching or fresh spring onions. Evergreen White Bunching On-

ions have stems that are long, white, tender, and have a fine flavor.

Item No. OnEWB 250 Seeds per pack



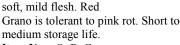
(Allium cepa)

115 days. White Sweet Spanish Open Pollinated Onion is the best choice for onion rings or a salad onion. Flesh is white, mild with white skins. White Sweet Spanish Onion is a long day type and a good winter keeper.

Item No. OnWSS 250 Seeds per pack

Red Grano

(Allium cepa)
115 days. Red
Grano Open Pollinated
Onion is a short day
large red onion with



Item No. OnReG 250 Seeds per pack



Walla Yellow Sweet Spanish) (Allium cepa)

105 days. Walla Walla Open Pollinated Onion is an onion that is sweet right from harvest but must be used soon after because they are poor keepers. Walla Walla onions are an over wintering type for fall planting or spring planting in the north.

Item No. OnWWS 250 Seeds per pack



Heirloom / Open Pollinated Parsnip are biennial and its seeds are very hard to germinate. Heirloom / Open Pollinated Parsnip are direct seeded, covering the seeds with .5" of soil. Plant Parsnip Seeds in full sun or partial shade in hot climates. Germination usually occurs in 5 to 25 days. After Heirloom / Open Pollinated Parsnip plants come up, they should be thinned to 2"-3" for healthy growth.



Harris Model (a.k.a. All America, Early Short, Jung's White Sugar)

(Pastinaca sativa) 125 days. Harris Model Open Pollinated Parsnip is longer and slimmer than Hollow Crown. Harris Model has smooth, white, tapered roots that are free of side roots. **Item No.** PrHaM 200 Seeds per pack



Hollow Crown Improved

(Pastinaca sativa)

125 days. Hollow Crown Improved Open Pollinated Parsnip is a popular variety that grows 10" to 12" long and up to 3" across.

Item No. PrHoC 200 Seeds per pack

Disorder in society is the result of disorder in the family.
- St. Angela Merici

Pea - Edible Pod (Snap)

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Peas are a cool weather crop, that like well drained soil and plenty of organic matter to assist with moisture retention. Direct sow Heirloom / Open Pollinated Peas as soon as soil can be worked in the spring. Plant Pea seeds in full sun, 1-1½" deep, 1 - 2" apart, in rows 18-24" apart. Pea seeds should germinate in 6-14 days at 45-75°F. No need to thin plants. Provide a trellis or other support for climbing varieties. Heirloom / Open Pollinated Bush Pea varieties usually do fine with a short trellis or planting in a block so Pea plants support each other. Harvest Heirloom Open Pollinated Shelling Peas when pods are full and plump and peas are tender; Heirloom / Open Pollinated Snap Peas when the pods start filling out but are not yet fully mature; and Heirloom / Open Pollinated Snow Peas when pods are approx. 3" long and still flat, before seeds start to fill out.

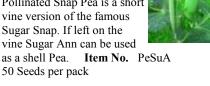


Cascadia (Pisum sativum) A winner of 58-70 days. taste tests, known for great flavor, the pods are distinctly sweeter, crisper and juicier than Sugar Snaps, with a full pea flavor. The Cascadia Edible

Pod Pea is an heirloom-in-waiting, a vintage open-pollinated variety that produces good yields of succulent and tender, stringless 3-31/2" pods, on compact, almost dwarf, 3' vines. Excellent fresh or for canning and freezing. These versatile peas can also be used like snow peas or left to mature for use as shell peas. Developed by Dr. James Baggett of Oregon State University. Disease Resistance: Powdery Mildew, Pea Enation Mosaic Virus, and Pea Wilt. Item No. PeCas 50 Seeds per pack

Sugar Ann

(Pisum sativum) 56 days. Sugar Ann Open Pollinated Snap Pea is a short vine version of the famous Sugar Snap. If left on the vine Sugar Ann can be used





Sugar Lace II

(Pisum sativum) 68 days. This variety is not only stringless, but nearly leafless as well, enabling plants to put more energy into yields, and making for easy

harvest! The Sugar Lace II Edible Pod Pea has the same highly productive habit as the original, with even more disease resistance. Compact 24-30" plants have interlocking tendrils making them self-supporting, and eliminating the need for staking, producing distinctly sweet, large, dark green 31/2" pods. Sets well in both Spring and Fall. Disease resistance: Pea Enation Mosaic Virus. Powdery Mildew, and Bean Leaf Roll Virus. Item No. PeSuL 50 Seeds per pack



Super Sugar Snap (Pisum sativum)

Same great flavor of the Sugar Snap Pea, but with plumper pods, and higher yields than some other varieties, and more disease resistance. The vines of the Super Sugar Snap Edible Pod Pea are vigorous and prolific, growing to 55-65" and producing twice as many pods as most varieties. Try fresh off the vine, with dip, in salads, steamed or stir fried. Makes an excellent addition to vegetable trays! Bears over a long period in both cold and hot weather. Disease resistance:

Powdery Mildew and Pea Leaf Roll Virus. Item No. PeSSS 50 Seeds per pack

When one door of happiness closes, another opens; but often we look so long at the closed door that we do not see the one which has been opened for us. - Helen Keller

Sugar Bon

(Pisum sativum) 54 - 69 days. Sugar Bon Open Pollinated Snap Pea has self supporting vines that are 18" to 24" tall and heavy yields of



pods 2" to 3" long. Sugar Bon is heat tolerant and is resistant to pea mosaic virus. Item No. PeSuB 50 Seeds per pack



Sugar Snap (a.k.a. New Sugar Snap, Cascadia) (Pisum sativum) 53-72 days. The original sugar snap pea, and 1979 winner of the All-American Selections

Award! The Sugar Snap Edible Pod Pea produces heavy yields of flavorful 21/2-31/2" pods, on tall 6' vines. Crisp, sweet pods are considered by many to be the best flavored of all the edible pod peas. Pods are delicious fresh, and great in salads, can be snapped just like green beans. Tastes great steamed. Freezes well, does not tolerate the heat of canning well. Can be left on the vines until mature for excellent quality shelling peas. Does develop strings at maturity, so they will need to be stripped. Vines require support. Frost resistant. Tolerant to Pea Wilt.

Item No. PeSuS 50 Seeds per pack

Sugar Sprint PVP

(Pisum sativum) 58 - 62 days. Sprint Open Pollinated Snap Pea is a sugar snap type almost two weeks earlier than other stringless



snap peas. Sugar Sprint grow to 26" tall and are self supporting. Both pods and peas are very sweet, and have resistance to powdery mildew and tolerance to pea enation mosaic virus.

Item No. PeSuSp 50 Seeds per pack

Pea - Edible Pod (Snow)



Dwarf Grey Sugar - Snow Pea (Dwarf Gray Sugar Cabbage Pea)

(Pisum sativum)

57-66 days. An old heirloom variety dating back to 1773, and introduced by D.M. Ferry & Co. in 1892. The Dwarf Grav Sugar Snow Pea vines grow to

about 2-3', and are self supporting, requiring no staking. Green foliage has a lovely purplish tinge, and plants bear pretty, edible reddish-lavender blossoms. Blossoms make lovely garnish for your special dishes, so grow some extra for garnish, as those blossoms taken for accent will not develop into a pea pod. It is said that Dwarf Gray Sugar has the very best leaf tips, tendrils, and top leaves for eating (they are briefly steamed or stir-fried). The pods are delicious steamed or stirfried. Flat, fleshy, curved, semi-pointed light-green pods grow to 3-5", being best when picked at $2\frac{1}{2}-3\frac{1}{2}$ ". Pods grow in clusters at top of plant, making harvest easy. Suitable for northern and southern regions, as it is tolerant to heat and cold. Very prolific variety! Disease Resistance: Fusarium Wilt.

Item No. PeDGS 50 Seeds per pack



Mammoth Melting Sugar - Snow Pea (Pisum sativum) 65-75 days. A wonderful heirloom variety, the largest of all the edible pod peas, it truly lives up to it's name. The Mammoth Melting Sugar Snow Pea's tall vines grow to 4-7' bearing very sweet and tender, stringless 4-5' pods. Best picked before peas begin to form. They are delicious fresh, in a salad, steamed, stir-fried and are a great sugar

pea for freezing for later use. Vines require staking. White sweet pea

blossoms make this an attractive plant to add to your landscape! High yielding, likes cool weather. Uniform variety. High in Vitamins A, B, and C! Resistant to Pea Wilt. Item No. PeMaM 50 Seeds per pack



Oregon Sugar Pod II - Snow Pea (Pisum sativum)

A very productive early variety with short, compact vines that grow to about 28-30". The Oregon Sugar Pod II Snow Pea produces high yields of smooth, light-green, stringless, broad 4 in. pods, sweet and flavorful. Delicious steamed or fresh. Freezes well, with no loss of color or flavor. Easy to grow, and does not require trellising. Developed by Dr. James Baggett of Oregon State University.

Disease Resistance: Fusarium Wilt, Powdery Mildew, and Pea Enation Mosaic Virus, and adding Mildew resistance to the original Oregon Sugar Pod allowing good Fall

Item No. PeOSP 50 Seeds per pack

Pea - Shelling

Pods are not eaten, rather peas are grown to maturity, shelled, and enjoyed!

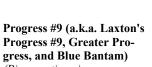


Early Frosty

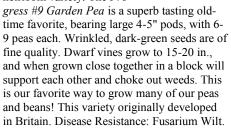
(Pisum sativum) A very prolific 60-68 days. home garden variety, with high yields of 31/2-4" pods bearing 7 -8 uniform, dark green, medium-sized peas. The Early

Frosty Garden Pea is a very tender, delicious, and excellent quality pea. Perfect for freezing, eating fresh, or selling fresh at the market. Vines grow to 28-30 in., often with double pods. Very vigorous variety, widely adapted. Early Frosty is a great variety for places with short growing seasons or cold springs. Disease Resistance: Fusarium Wilt.

Item No. PeEaF 50 Seeds per pack



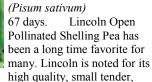
(Pisum sativum) 58-65 days. A leading large-podded, home garden, heirloom variety. The Pro-



Item No. PePro 50 Seeds per pack



Lincoln



sweet peas. This pea shells easy and really stands out for its fresh eating flavor. Lincoln peas are very productive and tolerates hot

Item No. PeLin 50 Seeds per pack



Spring

(Pisum sativum) 52-57 days. A very early variety, developed for commercial freezing. The Spring Garden Pea sets 5-7 pods each plant, with 3 in. pods

bearing 6-8 medium-sized peas. Dark-green, wrinkled peas are of excellent quality. Plants are fast growing and reach about 18-22". Disease Resistance: Fusarium Wilt (Race 1).

Item No. PeSpr 50 Seeds per pack



Maestro (a.k.a. Improved Alaska)

(Pisum sativum) 55-61 days. A terrific variety, very early and highly prolific! The Maestro Garden Pea produces 4



-4½" pods packed with 9-12 dark-green, medium-sized peas. This variety has a buttery delicious flavor, and are known to be tender and sweet. Highest sweetness when picked before full maturity. Excellent fresh or frozen, easy shelling by hand. Pods stand out on 24-30 in. plants, making it easy to see them at harvest time. Longlasting growth allows for multiple pickings. A hardy and widely adapted variety. A great choice for regions where other peas do not grow well. Disease Resistance: Powdery Mildew, Pea Enation Mosaic Virus, Bean Yellow Mosaic, and Common Wilt.

Item No. PeMae 50 Seeds per pack

Who except God can give you peace? Has the world ever been able to satisfy the heart? - St. Gerard Majella

Pea - Cowpea



California Blackeye #5 (a.k.a. Blackeye Cowpea

#5) (Vigna unguiculata)

60-95 days. A Southern home-garden favorite! The *California Blackeye Cowpea #5* bears large, smooth seeds, cream colored with a black "eye", as the name suggests. They have delicious flavor, and can be used either fresh or dried. Often prepared with either ham or

salt pork, and served with rice and spinach, the dish being called "Hoppin' John". They are very high in protein (20%), low in fat, and high in Vitamin B1. Plants of this variety are semi-spreading, erect, and high-yielding, with pods concentrating at the crown, making harvest easy. Pods grow to about 8-12". Disease Resistance: Common Wilt and Nematodes. **Item No.** PeCaB 50 Seeds per pack

Mississippi Cream Pea

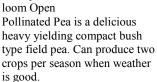
(Vigna unguiculata)
70 days. Mississippi Cream
Heirloom Open Pollinated Pea

is tolerant to RKN and most viruses. Mississippi Cream has pods that are 7" long with nearly white seeds at the green shell stage. Has high yields and can be used fresh, frozen or canned.

Item No. PeMiC 50 Seeds per pack

Purple Hull Pinkeyed

(Vigna unguiculata) 49 days. Purple Hulled Pinkeyed Heirloom Open



Item No. PePHP 50 Seeds per pack

Pepper - Hot

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Peppers are heat loving plants that are easy to grow, and do well in a variety of climates. Start seeds indoors 8-10 wks before the last frost. Soaking Heirloom / Open Pollinated Pepper Seeds for 2-8 hrs before planting helps speed germination. Plant ¼" deep in chosen containers. Germination will occur in 8-25 days at 75-90°F. Keep soil evenly moist (not soaked) for best germination. Harden off Pepper plants, then transplant to the garden about 2 -4 wks after the last frost date. Plant Heirloom / Open Pollinated Peppers in full sun, spacing about 12-18" apart, in rows 24-30" apart. For a more mild flavor, Heirloom / Open Pollinated Hot Peppers can be harvested once they reach full size and are still green. Although Heirloom / Open Pollinated Hot Peppers can be picked when green, their flavor and heat will increase when allowed to mature and ripen colors, especially to full maturity. It is best to use a knife or pruning clippers when harvesting to avoid damage to Heirloom / Open Pollinated Pepper plant. Be careful not to get oils on skin, in eyes, etc. when harvesting.



Anaheim (a.k.a. Anaheim Chile, and Long Green Chile) (Capsicum annum) 70-90 days. As the name suggests this open-pollinated chile pepper variety was given its name when brought to the

Anaheim, California area by a farmer named Emilio Ortega in the early 1900s. The *Anaheim Hot Pepper* is a **mildly-hot** variety, producing chile peppers 6-8½" long by 1½" wide, tapered or conical in shape, two-celled, of medium thickness, and pungent in flavor. The fruits are a dark green, turning to red at maturity. Plants are bushy, upright, 24-30" in height, and bearing continuously through the season. These chile peppers are great roasted, fried, stuffed, in stews and sauces, raw, canned, or dried. Popular for chile rellenos or strung into restras.

Item No. PpAna 25 Seeds per pack



Ancho 101 (a.k.a. Pablano Chile (when fresh), and Pasilla Chile) (Capsicum annum) 68-85 days. A heart-shaped open-pollinated chile pepper that tapers to a blunt point, often used for stuffing, that

finds its origins in Mexico. The *Ancho 101 Hot Pepper* starts as a very dark, almost black, green, maturing to a deep mahogany red. These chile peppers are **mildly-hot** and grow to 4-5" long by 2-3" in width, with medium thick walls. Plants grow to 30-36", with a spreading habit. *Anchos* are mildly hot, and are great fresh (referred to as Pablanos) or dried (referred to as Anchos). They are ideal for stuffing, and are popular for Rajas, Chiles Rellenos and other South Western dishes, in mole, or ground into Chile Powder.

Item No. PpAnc 25 Seeds per pack

Cayenne, Large Red Thick (a.k.a. Large Thick, and Large Long Red) (Capsicum annum)

(Capsicum annum) 64-80 days. A fiery

hot open-pollinated chile pepper variety, quite aromatic, with thick, wrinkled flesh, that turns from green to fire-red at maturity. The *Large Red Thick Cayenne Hot Peppers* grow to 5-7" long by 1¼-1½" wide at the shoulders, and are tapered and slightly curved. The strong, upright plants are large and open, allowing for easy harvest. Set is concentrated, and harvest shorter than some. These chile peppers are very pungent even when small. Great for use in hot sauces, dried, pickled or in salsas.

Item No. PpCLR 25 Seeds per pack



Cayenne, Long Thin (a.k.a. Long Red Slim Cayenne, Slim Cayenne, Long Narrow Cayenne, Long Thin Cayenne, and Long Red Narrow) (Capsicum annum)

70-75 days. A long slender variety of open-pollinated Cayenne chile pepper, a dependable producer and favorite of gardeners for years now. The *Long Slim Cayenne Hot Pepper* grows on large vigorous 22-30" spreading plants, producing bountiful harvests of 5-6 long by ¾" chile peppers. Two celled fruits are thin,

tapered, and wrinkled turning from dark-green to bright red at maturity. This chile pepper variety is **very hot**, and great for use in chili and homemade salsa. Also excellent for pickling, canning, and drying (dries very easily), a nice variety for decoration!

Item No. PpCLT 25 Seeds per pack

True independence and freedom can only exist in doing what's right.
- Brigham Young

Cherry, Large Red (a.k.a. Large Hot Cherry, Cherry Hot, and Hot Red Cherry) (Capsicum annum) 69-85 days. A late, but very productive open-

pollinated chile pepper variety. The *Large* Red Cherry Hot Pepper is a medium-hot variety, bearing flattened-globe shaped, 1" by 1½" chile peppers, medium-dark green turning to bright red at maturity. Plants grow to 24" and bear continuously throughout the season. Great for small pickles, canning, and are easy to dry. Adds great spice to your favorite Southwestern dishes! Item No. PpChL 25 Seeds per pack

Jalapeño, Early

(Capsicum annum) 60-68 days. With this open-pollinated variety you now can harvest this everpopular medium-hot chile pepper even earlier! The



Early Jalapeño Hot Pepper produces heavy yields of 3-4" long by 1½" wide thickwalled, bullet-shaped chile peppers, turning from green to red at maturity. Most popularly used early at the green stage, but they are at their hottest when fully red and mature, for those who love hot chile peppers. Compact, non-brittle, sturdy plants grow to 24". Great pickled, fresh, and chopped up in burritos, sauces, or your favorite Mexican dishes. Mature jalapeño chile peppers are also mesquite smoked to create that favorite ingredient in Southwestern and Mexican cooking, the chipotle. This variety is more adapted to cool climates than the other jalapeños, and very vigorous.

Item No. PpJaE 25 Seeds per pack



Santa Fe Grande (a.k.a. Caribe) (Capsicum annum)

73 - 100 days. Santa Fe Grande Hot Pepper are upright 24 to 28" plants that produce loads of 3 1/2" con-

ical blunt tip fruit that are yellow to orange to red at maturity. Santa Fe Grande is resistant to tobacco mosaic virus. Scoville rating 4000 - 6000 Mildly Hot Item No. PpSFG 25 Seeds per pack



Fresno Chili

(Capsicum annum) 75 days. Heirloom Open Pollinated Fresno Chili Hot Pepper is Mildly Hot and produces fruit 2 to 3" long that are tapered to a point. Fresno Chili

matures green, 24 to 30" plants have dense dark green foliage. Resistant to Tobacco Mosaic Virus. Scoville rating 900 - 3500 Mildly Hot Item No. PpFrC 25 Seeds per pack

Hot Hungarian Yellow Wax (a.k.a. Hungarian Yellow Wax, Bulgarian, Hungar-

ian Wax, Hungarian Wax Hot, Hungarian Long Wax, and Hot Banana Hungarian



Wax No. 2) (Capsicum annum) A medium-hot old-world fa-55-85 days. vorite open-pollinated chile pepper. The Hungarian Yellow Wax Hot Pepper has a sunsetripening habit, changing from yellow to orange to red when mature. Fruits grow to 5-8" long by 1-2" wide, tapering to a point. Walls of these chile peppers are of medium thickness. Plants are strong and upright, growing to 16-24 in., bearing early and continuously throughout the season. The best hot pepper variety for cool climates, widely adapted to a number of climates. Great for home gardens, market, and processing. Heat rises as the chile peppers mature. Most popularly used at the early stage, when still yellow, having a sweet-hot flavor. Excellent pickled, grilled, stuffed, fried, roasted (peels easily after roasting), in yellow mole sauce, fresh or canned.

Item No. PpHHY 25 Seeds per pack



Mulato Isleno

(Capsicum annum) 70 - 90 days. Heirloom Open Pollinated Mulato Isleno Hot Peppers are excellent for stuffing, very fat, measuring 6" x 3". Mulato Isleno fruit are

dark green to red to red black with a mildly distinctive flavor. Use fresh or dry. Scoville rating 500 - 1500 Mildly Hot Item No. PpMuI 25 Seeds per pack

Orange Habanero

(Capsicum chinense) 90-100 days. An EX-TREMELY hot openpollinated chile pepper varietv native to the Yucatan Peninsula of Mexico. The



Habanero Hot Pepper is 100 times hotter than the Jalapeño Pepper, and is the hottest open-pollinated hot pepper available! The fruits are lantern shaped, growing to 1" by 11/2", with wrinkled light-green flesh turning to a golden-orange at maturity. This variety is known to be slow to germinate, and needs warm moist conditions, it's best to start this chile pepper variety indoors. Plants grow to 36" and are very prolific. Primary use is in hot sauces, oil extracts, salsas, and powders; can be dried, coarse ground, or used whole. Highly disease resistant. A Caribbean favor-

Item No. PpHaO 25 Seeds per pack

Jalapeño, Mid (a.k.a. Jalapeño M)

(Capsicum annum) 75 days. A mid-season open-pollinated variety of the most popular hot chile pepper around! The Jala-



peño Mid Hot Pepper is very prolific, producing lots of $3-3\frac{1}{2}$ " long by $1\frac{1}{2}$ " wide bullet-shaped, thick-walled medium-hot chile peppers, very pungent in flavor, but more mild than some of the other jalapeños. Fruits are dark-green, turning to red at maturity, when they reach their greatest heat. Plants grow to 26-36", are dark-green and upright, providing good cover. This is the most popular jalapeño chile pepper variety grown in Mexico. A favorite sliced into rings and sprinkled over nacho's and in homemade salsas and sauces! Great for home gardens, market gardens, and processing. Does well in the North.

Item No. PpJaM 25 Seeds per pack

Cast yourself into the arms of God and be very sure that if He wants anything of you, He will fit you for the work and give you strength. - St. Philip Neri

Pepper - Hot (cont.)



Serrano (a.k.a. Serrano Chili and Serrano Hidalgo) (Capsicum annum)

75-90 days. The *Serrano Chili Hot Pepper's* name comes from the word serranía meaning "hill range" after the mountain ridges of Puebla and Hidalgo in Mexico from where it is thought to have originated. The candle flame shaped, medium-thick walled, **medium-hot to very-hot** open-pollinated chile peppers grow to 2-3" in length by ½" wide, and are a glossy green, changing to bright red at maturity. Plants are erect, branching, vigorous and prolific, growing to 26-34", and producing up to 50 pods each, bearing

continuously throughout the season. *Serranos* are used at both the green and red stage. Has a distinctive flavor, sometimes described as clean with a bite, having no after-burn. A favorite chile pepper for hot salsas, guacamole, and sauces, easy to prepare as they do not require peeling. Simply roast the peppers remove the stem, dice, and add to your favorite Mexican dish! Also used for pickling and drying. One of the hottest and easiest chile peppers grown by home gardeners.

Item No. PpSeC 25 Seeds per pack

Small Red Chili (a.k.a. Red Chili, Long Red Chili, Finger Cayenne)

(Capsicum annum)

82 days. Heirloom Open Pollinated Small Red Chili produces loads of thin green to red chili peppers 4-5" long. Scoville rating 5000 - 20000 **Medium Hot**

Item No. PpSRC 25 Seeds per pack

Pepper - Sweet Bell



California Wonder 300 (a.k.a. California Wonder 300 TMR)

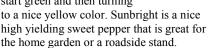
(Capsicum annum)
73-76 days. A wonderful variety of open-pollinated sweet bell pepper, producing

high yields of heavy, smooth, thick walled peppers. The *California Wonder 300 Sweet Bell Peppers* reach 4-4½" in length by 3½-4" wide. Fruits are blocky and 4 lobed, turning from a glossy dark green to red at maturity. Excellent at either the green or red stage. Thick crisp flesh has a mild and pleasant flavor. Great raw, with dip, or in salads. Makes a perfect stuffing bell pepper. *California Wonder 300 Sweet Bell Peppers* are high in Vitamins A and C! This bell pepper does well in cooler climates with shorter growing seasons. Disease Resistance: Tobacco Mosaic Virus.

Item No. PpCW3 25 Seeds per pack

Sunbright

(Capsicum annum)
75 days. Heirloom Sunbright Sweet Pepper yields
5" to 7" fruit with thick
walls. Sunbright peppers
start green and then turning



Item No. PpSun 25 Seeds per pack



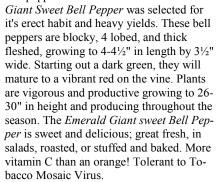
Sweet Cherry

(Capsicum annum)
78 days. Sweet Cherry
Sweet Peppers have cherry
shaped fruit and are red in
color when ripe. Sweet
Cherry bushy upright 20"

plants bear heavily. **Item No.** PpSwC 25 Seeds per pack

Emerald Giant (a.k.a. Bull Nose)

(Capsicum annum)
72-80 days. This beauty is a Keystone Resistant
Giant type open-pollinated bell pepper. The Emerald



Item No. PpEmG 25 Seeds per pack



Purple Beauty

(Capsicum annum)
70-75 days. The best open-pollinated purple bell pepper on the market. Produces lovely fruits, staring out an emerald green, and

turning to a beautiful eggplant purple when ready to eat, finishing out as a deep red when at full maturity. These bell peppers are thick walled and meaty, 3-4 lobed and blocky, growing to 3-4" in length by 3-3½" in width. Plants are compact, growing to 17", with thick protective foliage. Produces well for an open-pollinated bell pepper variety, as many as twelve fruits per plant in a season. Tender-crisp peppers have a mildly sweet flavor. Will add unique color to salads, delicious sliced fresh or in stir-fry. Kids will enjoy growing these unique beauties. Disease resistance: Tobacco Mosaic Virus.

Item No. PpPuB 25 Seeds per pack



Golden California Wonder

(Capsicum annum)
72 days. Heirloom Golden
California Wonder Sweet Pepper is a California Wonder

Sweet Pepper type producing thick walled green to golden yellow to deep orange fruit. Fruit is smooth and glossy colored.

Item No. PpGCW 25 Seeds per pack

Orange King

(Capsicum annum) 90 days. Heirloom

90 days. Heirloom Orange King Sweet Pepper are blocky, thick walled, 3-4 lobed, 3 1/2 to 4" orange colored bell pepper.

Great flavor. If you want to add some color to your sweet bell pepper mix, this one will do it.

Item No. PpOrK 25 Seeds per pack



Sweet Banana (a.k.a. Yellow Banana, Long Sweet Hungarian, Hungarian Wax Sweet, Hungarian Banana)

(Capsicum annum) 58-75 days. Heirloom Sweet Banana Pepper fruits average

5.5" long by 1.5" wide with a tapered blunt point. Sweet Banana pepper is medium, thick walled, light yellow and turns to red when mature. **Item No.** PpSwB 25 Seeds per pack

Yolo Wonder

(Capsicum annum)
78 days. Yolo Wonder
Sweet Pepper is a vigorous,
mostly upright plant that adapts
well to most areas and climates.
Yolo Wonder fruits are blocky,



very mild, sweet, thick walled and are 4.25" by 3.75" in size. Yolo Wonder Sweet Peppers have good leaf coverage to protect against sunburn.

Item No. PpYoW 25 Seeds per pack

Pumpkin

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Pumpkins are a warm season crop, sensitive to frost and light freezes. Start heirloom pumpkins indoors 3-4 wks, before the last frost date in cooler climates or direct seed outdoors after danger of frost. Plant or transplant pumpkins to full sun. To direct seed, plant 4-5 pumpkins seeds 1" deep, 6-8" apart in a circle at the center of 3' diameter hills, with a trench around each hill to aid water in reaching the root system. Thin to best 2-3 plants in each hill at the set of true leaves. Or plant pumpkin seeds in rows 1" deep, 2-3' apart. Space rows and hills 6-10' apart. Germination should occur in 5-10 days in soil 65-85°F. Keep soil just damp during germination, or seeds may rot. Harvest heirloom pumpkins when the rind has hardened and finger nail requires pressure to pierce rind. Leave 3-4" stem on when cutting from the plant for longer storage.



Big Max

(Cucurbita maxima) 120 days. Big Max Open Pollinated Pumpkins can weigh up to 100 lbs! Fresh market and home garden with skin that is a pink or-

ange in color. Item No. PuBiM 25 Seeds per pack



(Cucurbita mixta) Green Striped 112 days. Open Pollinated Cushaw is an unusual fruit that has a

curved neck and green mottled stripes over creamy yellow skin. The neck is the edible part and is sweet and tasty. The Green Striped Cushaw also makes very good pie! Item No. PuGSC

25 Seeds per pack



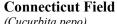
Casper (Cucurbita pepo) 90 days. Casper Open Pollinated Pumpkin is a unique white skinned pumpkin with a mild flavor that is great for pies. Casper is smoother with

less ribbing than other white varieties. Item No. PuCas 25 Seeds per pack

Howden (Cucurbita pepo) 115 days. Howden Open Pollinated Pumpkin is a big beautiful pumpkin we highly recommend. They have a very uniformed symmetrical shape and weigh in the 20 - 25lb

range. Howden has a hard ridged orange skin and is a very good keeper.

Item No. PuHow 25 Seeds per pack



(Cucurbita pepo) 54 days. Connecticut Field Open Pollinated Pumpkin have a flavorful flesh good for canning and

processing. The bottom of Connecticut Field is flat so they sit flat and won't roll over which makes them great for fall decorations. Item No. PuCoF 25 Seeds per pack



Small Sugar

(Cucurbita pepo) 90 days. Small Sugar Open Pollinated Pumpkin is the favorite for pies and canning. Small Sugar has 6 - 8 lbs fruit that has an

orange rind and flesh. Item No. PuSmS 25 Seeds per pack



Radish

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Radish are easily grown throughout the growing season in nearly every climate. Heirloom / Open Pollinated Radish Seeds are direct seeded in full sun and covered with .5" of soil. Radish Seeds will germinate in temperatures ranging from 45°F-85°F, with germination occurring in 4-10 days. Heirloom / Open Pollinated Radish plants should be thinned to 1-2".



Black Spanish

(Raphanus sativus) Black Spanish 60 days. Open Pollinated Radish has black skin with a cool white flesh. Black Spanish tolerates cool weather and stores

Item No. RaBIS 250 Seeds per pack

China Rose

(Raphanus sativus) 52 days. China Rose Open Pollinated Radish has rose colored skin with flesh that is mild, sweet and

Item No. RaChR 250 Seeds per pack



Champion

(Raphanus sativus) Champion Open 28 days. Pollinated Radish has a round scarlet red root that grows to a good size with flesh that is firm, crisp and white. Champi-

on is excellent for extra early or late sowing's. Item No. RaCha 250 Seeds per pack

Crimson Giant

(Raphanus sativus) Crimson Giant 30 days. Open Pollinated Radish has roots that measure 1" to 1 1/2" long. Crimson Giant roots are red with crisp, firm, and white flesh. Item No. RaCrG 250 Seeds per pack



Cherry Belle

(Raphanus sativus) 21 days. Cherry Belle Open Pollinated Radish has round globe shaped roots that are bright red in color. Cherry Belle has flesh that is crisp, firm and white. Item No. RaChB 250 Seeds per pack



Early Scarlet Globe

(Raphanus sativus) Early Scarlet 23 days. Globe Open Pollinated Radish have around to globe shaped root that is bright red in color. Item No. RaESG 250 Seeds per pack



Radish (cont.)

Easter Egg

(Raphanus sativus) 28 days. Easter Egg Open Pollinated Radish is a multicolored Radish that adds beautiful color to salads and dish's. Easter Egg Radish has red, pink, purple, and white colors all with crisp, firm and white flesh. Item No. RaEaE 250 Seeds per pack



24 days. French Breakfast Open Pollinated Radish has a scarlet colored root with a

French Breakfast

(Raphanus sativus)

white tip that is oblong in shape. French Breakfast roots grow to 3/4" wide and 2" to 3" long.

Item No. RaFrB 250 Seeds per pack



Fuego (Raphanus sativus)

24-25 days. Fuego Open Pollinated Radish has a round shaped root that is red in color. Fuego is early at 24 to 25 days.

Item No. RaFue 250 Seeds per pack



German Giant

(Raphanus sativus) 29 days. German Giant Open Pollinated Radish will grow to the size of a baseball. German Giant is bright red and remains crisp with no cracking.

Item No. RaGeG 250 Seeds per pack



White Icicle

(Raphanus sativus) 30 days. White Icicle Open Pollinated Radish has slender roots that are 4 to 5" long. White Icicle skin is white, crisp and

tender Item No. RaWhI 250 Seeds per pack

Rhubarb

Rhubarb is a cool season/climate crop, typically grown as a perennial. Soak the seeds in water for 2 hrs before planting. Start seeds indoors 6-8 wks before last frost, planting \(\frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{4} \)" deep, 2 seeds each in individual peat pots for ease of transplanting. Plant at least 20 seeds, and cull plants that do not exhibit typical characteristics of variety. Seeds should germinate in 6-18 days in soil 70°F. Harden off 2 wks before last frost, set out in full sun, in deeply dug soil with lots of organic matter, 18-24" apart. Keep well watered and weeded. Harvest stalks by pulling rather than cutting. Wait until 2nd yr. to begin harvest, and only a little then. 3rd season can harvest more, and harvest all season the 4th year. Caution: Do not eat the leaves of rhubarb plants as they contain oxalic acid which is toxic.



Victoria (Rheum rhabarbarum)

Victoria Open Pollinated Rhubarb has the darkest red stems of the seed types. Victoria rhubarb stalks are broad thick tender and dark red.

Item No. RhVic 25 Seeds per pack Of what use are riches in eternity? - St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Rutabaga

Heirloom / Open Pollinated Rutabaga is a hardy, cool-weather biennial, grown as an annual. Direct sow Rutabaga 4-6 wks before the last frost in spring, in late summer for fall harvest, and in mild winter climates in fall for a winter harvest. Plant Rutabaga seeds in full sun, 1/4 - 1/2" deep, 1-2" apart in rows 18-24" apart. Germination should occur in 5-17 days in soil 45-75°F. Once Rutabaga seedlings are well established, thin to 4-8" apart, to give the root bulb room to grow. Harvest rutabagas when bulbs are about 3-5" in diameter for best quality and flavor. Rutabagas are best stored at 33°F and 90-95% relative humidity.



American Purple Top

(Brassica napus var. napobrassica) American Purple Top Open Pollinated 90 days. Rutabaga have huge round yellow roots with a rich purple crown. American Purple Top Rutabaga is firm sweet and has a good flavor. The flesh turns orange when cooked.

Item No. RuAPT 300 Seeds per pack

Laurentian (Brassica napus var. napobrassica) Laurentian Open Pollinated Rutabaga is an Improved American Purple Top Strain with creamy vellow globe roots that are deep purplish red above ground. Laurentian Rutabaga is almost neckless with 4" to 6" roots that are uniform, mild firm, and have a good flavor with no side shoots.

Item No. RuLau 300 Seeds per pack



Spinach

Spinach is a cool season crop, growing best in Spring and Fall. Rich, fertile, well-drained, soil is best for optimum production. Direct sow seeds in very early spring when soil can be worked and has reached 50° F or in Fall, in full sun or partial shade, $\frac{1}{2}$ " deep, 1" apart, in rows 12" apart. Germination usually occurs in 6-21 days in soil $50\text{-}65^{\circ}$ F. Thin plants to 3-6" apart. Keep soil evenly moist. A good dose of fertilizer rich in nitrogen will help produce the best spinach. Can begin harvesting baby greens from outside of plant when they reach 3-4", and harvest entire plant upon reaching full maturity, before plant starts to set flowers, if buds begin to form , harvest immediately. Harvest in the morning for best flavor.



Bloomsdale Long Standing (Long Standing, Bloomsdale Savoy Long Standing, Bloomsdale Long Standing Dark Green, American Bloomsdale Extra Long Standing) (Spinacia oleracea) 39-60 days An excellent old-time favorite heirloom spinach variety, dependable and delicious, by far the most popular variety on the market! Bloomsdale Long Standing Spinach stands well in hot weather, without bolting (going to seed prematurely). Theses vigorous, semi-upright savoyed (crumpled) spinach leaves are dark-green and glossy, with a thick, fleshy texture. High in Vitamins A, B, and C, and a great source of folic acid, iron, magnesium, calcium, potassium, and riboflavin. Bloomsdale Long Standing Spinach is great steamed, boiled, or cooked in your favorite recipe calling for spinach. Makes a great salad by itself with your favorite toppings or add spinach leaves to your favorite salad

greens for an extra boost in vitamins and minerals. A great choice for multiple plantings. For first crop, sow in spring. Plant again in late summer. In mild winter areas, fall plantings yield in early spring. **Item No.** SpBLS 200 Seeds per pack

Spinach - Malabar

Malabar Spinach is heat loving, and does not tolerate frost, doing best in hot, long season climates. A frost free season of 150 + days is best for seed production. Can extend season in cooler climates by starting indoors 7-8 wks before last frost. Scarring the seed coat with a file or sandpaper, or soaking seeds overnight will help speed germination. Direct sow seeds (or set out transplants) 2-3 wks after last frost, in full sun. Plant seeds 1/4-1/2" deep, 6" apart, in rows 12-18" apart. Germination usually occurs in 10-21 days when the temperature is 80° +. Thin plants to, or set out transplants 12-18" apart. Plants are vining and require a trellis to climb. Keep evenly watered. Can start harvesting leaves an stems as soon as the main stem is about 1' tall as vines will continue growth. Pick leaves at about 2-3", after that they tend to be slimy. Harvest before the vine flowers for best flavor.



Malabar (a.k.a. Basella, Ceylon Spinach, Indian Spinach, Land Kelp, Malabar Nightshade, Malabar Climbing Spinach, Poi Sag, Vine Spinach) (Basella alba) 60-70 days This lovely variety is highly decorative, easy to grow, and very nutritious. Malabar spinach is a native of Africa and Southeast Asia, and is perfect for hot climates, as it loves hot, humid weather, producing fast and luxurious growth. An excellent choice for those who want spinach in the Summer! Malabar Spinach does not bolt (go to seed prematurely), even in extreme heat. Vigorous climbing plants grow to 6-10', producing big glossy bright-green leaves. Young leaves can be cooked and added to recipes. Great in soups, stews, stir-fry, steamed, boiled or in tofu dishes. In Japan, it is cooked in tempura or braised and topped with a sesame dressing. Do be careful not to overcook as it can become slimy. Fresh leaves make a

great salad. Leaves are similar in texture and flavor to kelp or swiss chard, and some say the flavor reminds them of beets. Often used as a thickening agent in the Orient, or in place of okra in the South. Leaves can also be used to make a tea. Vines do need a trellis or an arbor to climb, makes a lovely ornamental addition to any garden! Frost sensitive. **Item No.** SpMal 50 Seeds per pack

Spinach - New Zealand

New Zealand Spinach is a heat loving, short-lived, frost intolerant, perennial. We recommend soaking the seeds for 24 hrs before planting, then direct sow seeds in in full sun, covering with $\frac{1}{2}$ " of soil. Germination usually occurs in 7-10 days, but can be difficult. These plants like to sprawl, so you may want to trellis them to conserve garden space. Thin plants to 12-20" apart.

New Zealand Everbearing (Everlasting, Tetragone, Della Nuova Zelanda, Perpetual Spinach, Sea Spinach)

(Tetragonia tetragonioides) 50-70 days A very old heirloom introduced into England in 1772 by Sir Joseph Banks; reported to have been discovered during the South Seas expedition of Captain Cook. New Zealand Spinach is not a true spinach, but is similar in flavor and use, in fact some prefer it to regular spinach. This variety is a perennial, but is typically grown as a warm-weather annual. Large, strong, spreading plants branch out, sprawling freely, producing small, brittle, fleshy, deep-green leaves. New Zealand Spinach is a warm season vegetable that grows well in hot weather and dry conditions. New Zealand Spinach will not bolt (go to seed prematurely), or get bitter. Use the same as your regular spinach. Great fresh for salads or on sandwiches in place of lettuce.

Also excellent cooked and added to dishes calling for spinach. A great source of vitamin A, vitamin B1, vitamin B2, and vitamin C! For best absorption of these valuable nutrients it is recommended to blanch the leaves for 3 minutes, then refresh in cold water. In their natural form, the nutrients are hard to digest and absorb, however blanching changes them into a form more easily digested by the body. Disease and insect resistant, a good alternative to disease and pest prone regular spinach varieties. **Item No.** SpNeZ 25 Seeds per pack

Squash - Summer

Summer squash is a warm season crop, sensitive to frost and light freezes. Start indoors 3-4 wks. before last frost date or direct seed outdoors after danger of frost. Plant 6-8 seeds, 1" deep, in 1' diameter hills, thinning to 3 or 4 plants at the set of true leaves. Or plant seeds in rows 1" deep, 1' apart, later thinning to 3-5' apart. Space rows and hills 6-10' apart. Days to germination: 5-10 in soil 65-85°F. Keep soil just damp during germination, or seeds may rot. In general summer squash have the best flavor and tenderness when picked young.



Bennings Green Tint

(Cucurbita pepo) Bennings Green 49 days. Tint Heirloom Summer Squash was introduced in 1914. Bennings Green Tint

produces pretty pale green pie shaped fruit. Delicious when steamed and then served with butter, salt and pepper.

Item No. SSBGT 25 Seeds per pack



Black Beauty

(Cucurbita pepo) 58 days. Black Beauty Open Pollinated Summer Squash Zucchini is the most popular home garden variety. Black Beauty is very productive and there fruits

should be pick when young (About 6" - 8"). Bush Type Plant Item No. SSBIB 25 Seeds per pack



lific. Early Prolific Straightneck fruits are 10" x 3" in size and lemon in color.

Early Prolific

Item No. SSEPS 25 Seeds per pack

Early Prolific

Straightneck

(Cucurbita pepo)

50 days.

Early Summer Crook-

neck (Cucurbita pepo) 50 days. Early Summer Crookneck Summer Squash has good yields and is very meaty. Fruit is warted, bright yellow with a small seed cavity. Early Summer Crookneck fruits taste best when picked in the 4" to 6" range.

Item No. SSESC 25 Seeds per pack

Gray Zucchini

(Cucurbita pepo) 61 days. Gray Zucchini Summer Squash is medium green with mottled gray specks. Grey Zucchini fruit should be picked in the 7" to 9" range.

Item No. SSZuG 25 Seeds per pack



Zucchini - Round

(Cucurbita pepo) 52 days. Round Zucchini are a unique oblong to round shape. Pick the fruit young and serve with butter. Round Zucchini is also great stuffed

with meat and vegetables and then baked! Item No. SSZuR 25 Seeds per pack

Squash - Winter

Winter squash is a warm season crop, sensitive to frost and light freezes. Start indoors 3-4 wks. before last frost date or direct seed outdoors after danger of frost. Plant squash in full sun. To direct seed, plant 6-8 seeds, 1" deep, in 1' diameter hills, thinning to 3 or 4 plants at the set of true leaves. Or plant seeds in rows 1" deep, 1' apart, 3-5'. Space rows and hills 6-10' apart. Germination should occur in 5-10 days in soil 65-85° F. Keep soil just-damp during germination, or seeds may rot. Harvest when rind has hardened and finger nail requires pressure to pierce rind. Leave 2-3" stem on when cutting from plant for longer storage.



Burgess Strain Butter-

cup (Cucurbita maxima) 95-100 days. A turban type squash with dark green rind, and blocky shape, has a gray "button" on the blossom

end. The Burgess Strain Buttercup Squash has an excellent flavored, fiberless, dark orange flesh, which is thick and dry. Very good winter keeper, also good for canning. Fruits grow to 3-5 lbs. A New England favorite. Item No. SqBBS

25 Seeds per pack

Bush Buttercup, Emerald Strain

(Cucurbita maxima)

85-100 days. Upright 3-4' wide bushes produce heavy yields of small smooth rounded turbans, the color of a Blue Hubbard squash. The Emerald Strain Bush Buttercup has thick, deep, sweet, dry, vellow-orange flesh. Fruits are high quality, 3-5 lbs. each. Delicious baked, steam, cans or freezes well. Perfect variety for small gardens!

Item No. SqBBE 25 Seeds per pack

Delicata (a.k.a. Delicatessen, Sweet Potato Squash, **Delicata Sweet Potato, and** Peanut) (Cucurbita Pepo) 95-100 days. Introduced in 1894 by Peter Henderson, this variety remains popular



today for it's sweet, delicious, sweet potatolike flavor. The Delicata Squash gets the nickname Peanut Squash from it's oblong shape, growing to 7-9" in length, by 3" in diameter. This unique squash is highly attractive with its ivory skin, striped with dark green from end to end. The flesh is finegrained and light orange in color. Delicious, steamed, baked, stuffed, in soups, or in any winter squash recipe. Short prolific vines. A very good keeper.

Item No. SqDel 25 Seeds per pack

Always remember that choosing the lesser of two evils is still choosing evil.

Squash - Winter (cont.)



Golden Delicious (a.k.a. Hubbard Golden Delicious) (Cucurbita Maxima

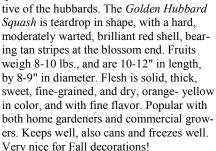
100-105 days. Introduced by Gill Bros. Seed Co. of Portland Oregon in

1926, this variety was developed from a cross between Delicious and Boston Marrow. Heart or top shaped, the Golden Delicious Squash has a striking red-orange exterior with bright orange-yellow, thick, finegrained flesh. Fruits grow to 7-9 lbs., measuring 10-12" in length, by 8" in diameter. Originally developed for use in baby food, these squash are sweet and delicious, with excellent flavor, they are not watery, keep well, but also freeze and can well, great baked or in soups. High in vitamins C and

Item No. SqGoD 25 Seeds per pack

Hubbard, Golden (a.k.a. Red Hubbard.and Genesee Red Hubbard) (Cucurbita maxima)

90-105 days. Introduced in 1898, this enduring beauty is on of the most attrac-



Item No. SqGol 25 Seeds per pack

Hubbard, Blue

(Cucurbita maxima) 100-120 days. Another New England favorite, this reliable

old-time variety produces large, 15-40 lb. fruits (we actually

got a 45.5 lb beauty in our 2009 garden!), on vigorous vines. The Blue Hubbard Squash is a pretty blue-gray-green, slightly ridged, coarsely -warted, with a neck at both ends. Flesh is bright orange, fine textured and sweet. Great in pies, or cut into pieces and baked or steamed. The hard shell makes this variety a very long keeper. It also makes it hard to cut, a very large Chef's knife or machete work well on the large squashes like this.

Item No. SqBlu 25 Seeds per pack



Hubbard, True Green Improved (a.k.a. True Hubbard, and Improved Hubbard)

(Cucurbita maxima) 100-115 days. Originally introduced for sale in the 1840s

by seedsman, J.H. Gregory, who named it after Elizabeth Hubbard of Marblehead, MA. who, recognizing the qualities of this excellent squash brought it to the Gregory's stating that "it was the best squash she had ever tasted in her life". The True Green Improved Hubbard Squash has a beautiful dark bronze-green shell, tapered at both ends. The flesh is sweet, dry, and fine-grained, golden yellow in color, and delicious in flavor. The fruits grow to 12-16" in length, by 9-10" in diameter, weighing around 10-15 lbs. Large vines. Excellent keeper and shipper. Easy grower, does well in all regions of the U.S. Item No. SqTGI 25 Seeds per pack

Sweet Dumpling (a.k.a. Vegetable Gourd) (Cucurbita pepo)

95-105 days. Very productive plant, with up to 10 squash per compact vine. The Sweet

Dumpling Squash is teacup shaped, creamy in color, with dark green stripes. One of the sweetest squashes around, with tender flesh, delicious baked and stuffed. Excellent keeper, does not even require curing, and will keep well for 3-4 months. Fruits are about ½ lb, perfect for a single serving.

Item No. SqSwD 25 Seeds per pack



Hubbard, Chicago Warted (a.k.a. Green Chicago Warted Hubbard, **Hubbard Improved)**

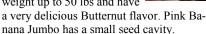
(Cucurbita maxima) 105-115 days. heirloom developed by Bud-

long Gardens of Chicago and introduced by Vaughans Seed Store of Chicago in 1894. The Chicago Warted Hubbard Squash's very vigorous vines bear hard shelled, dark green fruits, heavily warted and of a true hubbard shape. Fruits weigh in around 12-16 lbs., and measure 12-14", by 10" in diameter. Flesh is thick, dry, sweet, and finegrained. Great for pies, baking, or freezing. A very good shipper, and excellent keeper, keeping until late spring.

Item No. SqChW 25 Seeds per pack

Pink Banana Jumbo

(Cucurbita maxima) 105 days. Pink Banana Jumbo Squash produces fruit up to 30" long that have a definite pink color. Fruit will weight up to 50 lbs and have



Item No. SqPBJ 25 Seeds per pack



Sweet Meat (a.k.a. **Sweet Meat Oregon)**

(Cucurbita maxima) 85-110 days. A favorite of the Northwest, developed in Oregon, and introduced by the Gill Bros. Seed Com-



pany of Portland, Oregon. The vines of the Sweet Meat Squash are very vigorous, and require a good amount of room to grow, crowding out other plants if not given their space. Fruits have a very hard, thick slategray skin, with a thick golden-vellow flesh, sweet dry, and fiberless. Fruits grow to about 10-20 lbs., and are very hardy, keeping for many months. They have a delicious buttery flavor that sweetens with age. This squash is excellent baked or in pies. Can be baked, and the leftovers frozen for later use. Because of its tender dry texture, it can be used in place of summer squash in recipes during the winter, when the summer squash are all done with for the year.

Item No. SqSwM 25 Seeds per pack

Never make a decision without stopping to consider the matter in the presence of God. - St. Jose Maria Escriva

Squash - Winter (cont.)



Table Queen Acorn (a.k.a. Danish, Pepper Squash, Des Moines) (Cucurbita pepo) 75-90 days. A dark green acorn shaped heirloom squash that is descended from a heart shaped squash grown by the Arikara Indians in the early 1800s. The Table Queen Acorn Squash was first introduced by the Iowa Seed Co. in

1913. Deep orange flesh is fine-textured, sweet, dry, and thick. Good for baking, and immature fruit can also be used as a summer squash. Good for storage. Fruits weigh about 1 ½ lbs, and grow to $4 \times 5 \frac{1}{2}$ in.

Item No. SqTQA 25 Seeds per pack



Highly decorative and colorful buttercup 80-125 days. type squash, this heirloom dates back to pre-1800. This variety has been gaining popularity for it's decorative qualities. The Turk's Turban Squash/Gourd is orange and red and



white on green, with a distinctive cap or turban on top. The fruits grow to about 8-12" in diameter, and weigh 5-10 lbs. Keeps well if not bruised during harvest and storage. They are fair eating quality. Can be baked plain or stuffed. Very popular at roadside vegetable stands. * Note: Some call this variety a squash, some a gourd, it is the same variety either way it is listed.

Item No. SqTuT 25 Seeds per pack



Vegetable Spaghetti (a.k.a. Spaghetti Squash)

(Cucurbita pepo) 90 days. Introduced by Sakata Seed Co. of Japan, in 1934. May have originated in China. A popular low calorie alternative to pastas. The Vegetable Spaghetti Squash produces vigorous spreading vines, with 5-7 fruits per plant. Fruits have a buff skin, turning pale yellow at maturity, with a pale yellow interior flesh that breaks up into spaghetti like strands

when cooked. Squash are 8-12" long, by 5-6" in diameter. Boil whole for 20-30 min, or bake. Use as spaghetti with your favorite sauce, or as a pasta substitute in homemade macaroni and cheese. Or try with butter and salt and pepper. Its taste is nothing like spaghetti, it has a slight sweetness and, if not overcooked, is crunchy and somewhat watery, something like a cucumber. Spaghetti squash contains many nutrients including folic acid, potassium, vitamin A, and beta caro-Item No. SqVeS 25 Seeds per pack



Waltham Butternut

(Cucurbita moschata) 95-110 days. The most popular of the winter squashes. The Waltham Butternut Squash was introduced in 1970 by Bob Young of Waltham Massachusetts and is an All-American Selections Award winner. Buff colored rind with fine-

textured, sweet orange flesh, that is creamy and rich, with a nutty flavor. Stores very well, lasting sometimes 6 months or even longer. Very resistant to vine borers. Vigorous and dependable. Fruits average 8-9" long, and weigh 3-6 lbs. Great for steaming, boiling, baking, or even harvest young and use as a summer squash.

Item No. SqWB 25 Seeds per pack

Swiss Chard

Swiss Chard is hardy and prolific, tolerating poor soil and inattention, it can withstand frost and mild freezes. Direct sow seeds in spring 1-2 weeks after soil can be worked. Can be planted from April to mid-July. Soaking seeds for 15 min in warm water prior to planting will speed germination. Plant seeds in full sun (can tolerate part shade) 1/2" deep, 1-2" apart, in rows 18-24" apart. Should germinate in 5-17 days in soil 50-75°F. When plants reach 3", thin to 4-10" apart. Water regularly for best growth and to prevent bolting (going to seed prematurely) and bitterness. Can be harvested continuously. When plants reach about 6" can begin harvesting the outer leaves, leaving the inner leaves to continue growth. Can also cut off the whole plant 2" above the ground and it will grow new leaves.



Fordhook Giant (Beta vulgaris var. cicla) 55 days. Fordhook Giant Open Pollinated Swiss Chard is a vigorous variety. Fordhook Giant has white stalks that are 2 1/2" wide with leaves that

are dark green, fleshy and thick.

Item No. SCFhG 150 Seeds per pack

White Cloud

(Beta vulgaris var. cicla) 35 - 60 days. White Cloud Open Pollinated Swiss Chard has a nice white colored stalk with green leaves. White Cloud is a very tasty and crunchy swiss chard.

Item No. SCWhC 150 Seeds per pack



Lucullus

(Beta vulgaris var. cicla) 50 days. Lucullus Open Pollinated Swiss Chard is a non bolting type with dark green leaves, white midribs and stalks. Lucullus Swiss

Chard produces greens from spring until first hard fall frost. Very popular variety that handles summer heat very well.

Item No. SCLuc 150 Seeds per pack

Rainbow Mix (Beta

Open Pollinated Swiss

vulgaris var. cicla)

55 days.

Magenta Sunset

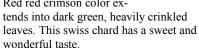
(Beta vulgaris var. cicla) Magenta 35 - 60 days. Sunset Open Pollinated Swiss Chard has light red or pink (like a sunset) stalks and ribs



leaves. Magenta Sunset is very tender and very heat tolerant. Item No. SCMaS 150 Seeds per pack

Ruby Red

(Beta vulgaris var. cicla) 35 - 60 days. Ruby Red Open Pollinated Swiss Chard has beautiful crimson stalks that look like Rhubarb. Ruby Red red crimson color ex-



Item No. SCRuR 150 Seeds per pack



Rainbow Mix Chard is a blend of Ruby Red, Golden Sunrise, Ma-

genta Sunset, and White Cloud. Harvest at 35 days for baby Swiss Chard. Item No. SCRaM 150 Seeds per pack

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Tomatillo

May be direct seeded in long season climates, otherwise it is recommended to start indoors 4-6 wks. before last frost date. When direct seeding plant 0.25" deep. Plant in full sun or with afternoon shade in hot climates. Thin to 12-24" apart. Tomatillos like an average water supply. Plants are self supporting, but do sprawl, so caging or trellising is recommended in small gardens. Fruits are mature when husks are light tan, and fruits split the husk.



Purple Tomatillo (Physalis ixocarpa)

Makes a very attractive purple salsa. The Purple Tomatillo plant is also very attractive, with purple veins in the leaves, and light green to buff colored husks on the tomatillo themselves. This variety has a sharper flavor and is sweeter than the green tomatillo. Can be eaten fresh, but most popular in sauc-

es, salsas, stewed, fried, or made into pastes. A delicious combination for salsa includes tomatillos, tomatoes, peppers, purple onion, garlic, and fresh herbs like basil, thyme and oregano. Stores well for a tomatillo, stores longest when removed from husks and placed in a sealed plastic bag in the refrigerator.

Item No. ToPpTt 25 Seeds per pack

Toma Verde Tomatillo (Physalis ixocarpa) This popular tomatillo is known to 60-70 days make a very tasty "Salsa Verde", which some say is superior to red salsa. The Toma Verde Tomatillo is adapted to grow well in a wide range of climates, growing quickly and giving good yields of large green tomatillos. They do best in same growing conditions as

tomatoes, but can handle more drought and heat. The fruits are surrounded by a papery husk that turns from green to brown as they ripen and splits open when they are ready to harvest. Tomatillos are the key ingredient in fresh and cooked Latin American green sauces, particularly hot chili sauces. Makes an excellent addition to any Mexican Item No. ToToVe 25 Seeds per pack dish or salad.

Tomato

Start indoors 6-8 weeks before last frost date. Plant the seeds 1/4" deep in sterile seed starting mix. Germination occurs in 6-14 days in soil 70-90°F. Once true leaves develop, separate plants into 3-4" pots, placing in full light & cooler temps (60-70°F). Set out hardened off transplants, in full sun, once soil has warmed, 18-30" apart, in rows 3-4' apart. Plant tall, spindly seedlings deeper, the stems will sprout roots and support and strengthen the plant. For indeterminate vines provide cages or trellises. Can harvest at first blush of color, setting out in a single layer under newspapers at room temperature to ripen. To vine ripen, leave on vine until full color and firm yet beginning to soften.



Abe Lincoln (Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 87 days is the original strain of Abe Lincoln Tomato. Abe Lincoln Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato has beautiful large dark red fruits that are sweet, solid

and meaty. The fruit tend to be smooth and free from cracks and seams. Abe Lincoln is an Indeterminate tomato. Item No. ToAbe 25 Seeds per pack

Anna Russian)

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 65-80 days A wonderful heirloom tomato variety from Brenda Hillenius of Oregon who's grandfather had obtained seeds from a Russian immi-



grant many years ago. A typical oxheart variety with lovely wispy indeterminate vine plants, bearing small delicate foliage, often making the unsuspecting believe the plant is dead. The Anna Russian Heirloom Tomato sets forth numerous clusters of 2-3 delicious pink-red, oxheart shaped, crack-resistant, 8-16 oz. fruits, meaty and juicy, mild and sweet flavor with a hint of tang to it.

Item No. ToAR 25 Seeds per pack

Ace 55

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

75-85 days An outstanding variety bred specifically for market growers. The Ace 55

Tomato is resistant to cracking, bruising, and bursting, a perfect farmers market tomato. Has a nice sweet flavor, without the acidic taste of other tomatoes. These med-large indeterminate plants have good foliage cover and produce 7-12 oz. red, thick walled, flattened globe shaped, meaty tomatoes, perfect for eating fresh. They are not the best for canning, however, due to their low- acidity. If canned, they must be pressure canned to prevent botulism. Very good disease resistance. Item No. ToA55

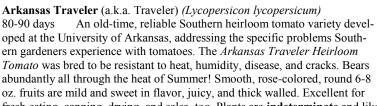
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Amish Paste

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 70-85 days One of the largest of the paste tomatoes, known for it's wonderful flavor. The Amish Paste Tomato is an heirloom that was

discovered among the Amish in Wisconsin, although it originates with the Pennsylvania Amish. With a nice balance of sweet and acid, this tomato is great for eating fresh, canning, and is especially terrific for sauces. These large **indeterminate** plants produce high yields. The fruits are oxheart, almost teardrop in shape, deep red in color, with thick flesh, and few seeds, weighing approx. 8-12oz. Needs special attention to support as plants tend to be droopy. This is one of our favorite tomatoes, and many we know swear by it to be one of the best paste tomatoes! Item No. ToAP 25 Seeds per pack



fresh eating, canning, drying, and salsa, too. Plants are indeterminate and like to sprawl, can

Beefsteak (a.k.a. Scarlet Beefsteak, Red Ponderosa, Crimson Cushion) (Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 65-90 days An oldfashioned favorite, popular in gardens for years. The Be loom Tomato's vigorous, in

fashioned favorite, popular in gardens for years. The *Beefsteak Heirloom Tomato's* vigorous, **indeterminate** vines bear high yields of meaty 10 oz. - 2 lb. tomatoes, somewhat ribbed and rough. These large tomatoes are flattened, solid, and meaty. The juicy, bright red fruits are very flavorful, perfect for slicing, delicious on sandwiches, or in salads. Rich sub-acid flavor hearkening to the old-time tomato flavor so sought after by those who remember juicy delicious tomatoes right out of Grandma's garden. Plants need good support. **Item No.** ToBf 25 Seeds per pack

Black Krim

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
69 days Black Krim

Heirloom Open Pollinated
Tomato is such a deep dark
red color it looks almost



black. Interior it is a deep reddish green color that has a sweet taste. Black Krim is **Indeterminate. Item No.** ToBIK 25 Seeds per pack



Brandywine (Black)

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80-100 days A lovely black version of the famous Brandywine Tomato, with great old-fashioned heirloom tomato flavor! The Black

Brandywine Heirloom Tomato has the rich, earthy yet sweet, delicious taste that black tomatoes are known for. Fruits are oval, a beefsteak type, slightly flattened, 12-16 oz. in size, dark red and black with green shoulders in color at maturity. Vigorous, **indeterminate** vines are good producers. One slice of these flavorful black beauties will almost cover a whole sandwich! Great for fresh eating, good slicer.

Item No. ToBWB 25 Seeds per pack

Black Cherry

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 65-80 days Delicious! The one-word description tomato lovers use to describe the Black Cherry Tomato. Full of rich, sweet flavor for



which black tomatoes are known, with the convenient size of the cherry tomato. Fruits are about 1 ½" in diameter, perfect round true cherry tomato shape, and deep red-black in color with tender skins and medium-thick walls. Large, vigorous, **indeterminate** 4-8' plants set forth a bountiful harvest of these unique gems. Great snack right off the vine, delicious in salads, pasta dishes, or roasted, can be dried, canned or frozen also.

Item No. ToBlC 25 Seeds per pack

Bonnie Best

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
66 - 85 days Bonnie Best
Heirloom Open Pollinated
Tomato is an old heirloom
favorite that is widely
adapted and is especially



good in northern areas. Bonnie Best is a large open plant that yields smooth bright scarlet globes that are firm and meaty. They can be left to grow on the ground or staked. Bonnie Best tomato is **Indeterminate.**

Item No. ToBoB 25 Seeds per pack



Brandywine (Red)

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80-100 days An old Amish heirloom dating back to 1885. The Brandywine tomato is named after Brandywine creek in Chester

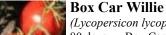
County, Pennsylvania. This is a great tomato with that delicious flavor of a true heirloom tomato! Large, vigorous, **indeterminate** vines produce deep red, 8-12 oz tomatoes in clusters of 4-6 fruits. The *Red Brandywine Heirloom Tomato* has a robust, full flavor which accounts for its fame as a delicious heirloom tomato. A fairly crack-resistant variety. Great Slicing tomato with awesome flavor! **Item No.** ToBWR

Black From Tula

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80 - 85 days Black From Tula Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato originates from Russia and has a full rich flavor great for slicing



and canning. Good yields of 3" to 4" slightly flattened fruit that develops color best in hotter weather. Black From Tula is **Indeterminate. Item No.** ToBFT 25 Seeds per pack





(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80 days Box Car Willie Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato has prolific yields of 10 to 16 oz smooth red orange fruit. Box Car Willie

Tomato has an old fashioned flavor and is a multi-use tomato that will last throughout the season for canning, freezing, and fresh eating. Resistance to cracking and good disease tolerance. Box Car Willie Tomato is **Indeterminate. Item No.** ToBCW 25 Seeds per pack

Brandywine (Pink)

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80-90 days An old-time heirloom favorite introduced in the 1880s. The Brandywine Pink Heirloom Tomato has won countless taste contests



with it's outstanding rich flavor, and creamy aftertaste, sought after by gardeners and connoisseurs year after year. Large, strong, indeterminate plants bear nice yields, with large fruits growing to 1 lb. or more. These lovely heirloom tomatoes are large, red-pink, flattened and irregular in shape. The large potato -like leafs help protect the tomatoes from sun -scald. This is a great slicing tomato, perfect for sandwiches, hamburgers, sliced tomatoes to go with cottage cheese, the ideas go on and on! Like other potato-leaf tomato varieties the yields are not terribly high, pollination can be improved by flicking the blossoms with your fingers or gently shaking the plants. Item No. ToBrWn 25 Seeds per pack



Cherokee Purple

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80-90 days These tomatoes have a wonderful sweet, rich flavor and are a unique deep pink with purplish tint and green shoulders

(shoulders remain green when ripe). The *Cherokee Purple Tomato* was grown over 100 years ago by the Cherokee Indian sand has a history of being a long-time favorite. An heirloom variety that is vigorous, the relatively short **indeterminate** plants produce 6-8 oz. fruits, with somewhat thick skin, but a soft tender inside. Considered by many to be one of the best tasting heirloom tomatoes, flavor is smooth and sweet. Productive heirloom tomato variety, high in nutrients. Tolerant to drought and common diseases.

Item No. ToChP 25 Seeds per pack

Druzba (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
85 - 90 days Druzba Heir-

85 - 90 days Druzba Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato are husky plants that bear heavy sets of 12 oz fruit that measure up to 4" across.



These large fruit mature to a bright red with pink shoulders, high acid content makes this one a good keeper. Druzba is **Indeterminate. Item No.** ToDru

25 Seeds per pack



Gardeners Delight

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 50 - 80 days Gardeners Delight Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato has very bright red 1/3 to 1/2 oz fruit that grow in clusters of 6 to 12.

Fruit are crack resistant, bear until frost, and are best if grown on stakes or in cages. Gardeners Delight is **Indeterminate.**

Item No. ToGaD 25 Seeds per pack

Golden Jubilee

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 70-80 days A large yellow-orange round beefsteak tomato, higher in Vitamin C and lower in acid than many other tomato varieties. The



Golden Jubilee Tomato sets forth upright and uniform indeterminate vines, making it an easy to manage variety. An excellent fresh tomato, great in salads, also for canning. Perfect for juice, due to it's low acidity and small number of seeds. Item No. ToGoJ 25 Seeds per pack

Coustralee (often misspelled as Coustralee)
(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
80 days A wonderful
French heirloom gem! A large
beefsteak type tomato, delicious, perfect for BLTs



(Bacon, lettuce, tomato sandwiches). The *Coustralee Heirloom Tomato's* large, **indeterminate** plants set forth good yields, of huge 1-3 lb. tomatoes. These lovely red fruits are large, meaty, and have few seeds, not too tough or soft, interior is smooth and silky. This is a great variety for large beefsteak tomatoes, with lots of flavor, but not a lot of work.

Item No. ToCou 25 Seeds per pack



Dutchman (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

80 days Dutchman Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato is an old strain that yields large purplish pink **Non - Acid** fruits that have a mild flavor and

almost solid meat. Dutchman is **Indeterminate. Item No.** ToDut 25 Seeds per pack

German Johnson

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80 days German Johnson Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato has vigorous potato leaf vines that yield mild flavored 12 - 24 oz fruits with



pink skins and yellow shoulders. German Johnson is a long time favorite in Mid Atlantic and Southern States. German Johnson is **Indeterminate**. **Item No.** ToGeJ 25 Seeds per pack

Green Zebra

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
75-80 days Developed by
Tom Wagner of Bakersfield,
California and released in
1983, the result of over 25
years of breeding selection.

The *Green Zebra Tomato* is an **indeterminate** plant, producing lots of 2-4 oz. tomatoes, bright green(golden at maturity) with dark green stripes. A truly unique variety, makes a neat green salsa, and livens up tomato salads with it's color. A favorite for eating fresh, rich and sweet with a tangy bite to it. Vines are well branched, provide good foliage cover, and have some resistance to septoria leaf spot. **Item No.** ToGrZ 25 Seeds per pack

Delicious (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

77-90 days Known for their *huge* tomatoes, these **indeterminate** tomato plants produce fruits that are meaty, with superior flavor



and aroma, having few seeds. *Delicious Tomatoes* easily reach 1-2 lbs with proper care. This variety holds the world record for it's 7 lb tomato, try growing your own record tomato to impress your friends and neighbors! They are excellent for salads, slicing, tomato juice and canning. Crack resistant. **Item No.** ToDel 25 Seeds per pack



Floradade (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
74-80 days From Dade
County, Florida, developed
by the University of Florida

to be resistant to the particu-

lar problems that affect tomatoes in southern states. *Floradade Tomatoes* are **determinate**, producing good yields of firm, jointless, and flavorful tomatoes. Good disease resistance. **Item No.** ToFID 25 Seeds per pack

German Red Straw-

berry (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

85 days German Red Strawberry Heirloom Tomato are shaped just like a strawberry but there alot



bigger at 3 1/2 " long and weighing up to 10 oz. Red Strawberry has a wonderful taste with solid meat, few seeds, and very little juice. **Indeterminate Item No.** ToGRS 25 Seeds per pack

Heirloom Rainbow Blend (Lycopersicon lyco-

persicum) 80-100 days A perfect mix of unusual and interesting varieties, all distinctively

different. The Heirloom



Rainbow Tomato Blend is perfect for the beginning gardener who can't decide which variety of heirlooms to start with. Also, a nice addition for the experienced gardener who wants to try different varieties this year, an economical choice, to experience a variety of heirloom tomatoes. Packets may contain black, pink, red or yellow Brandywine, Cherokee Purple, Green Zebra, White Wonder and orange Nebraska Wedding

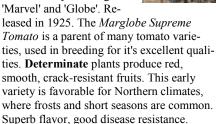
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Marglobe Supreme

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

73-77 days Bred in 1917 by Fred J. Pritchard of the USDA by crossing

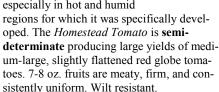


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Homestead

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 80-83 days This variety is popular the world over for the fact that it does well in many growing conditions, especially in hot and humid



Item No. ToHom 25 Seeds per pack



Mortgage Lifter

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) Mortgage Lifter 83 days Heirloom Tomato is a long time favorite with good yields of very large, smooth, pink skinned fruit. Mortgage Lifter

is very meaty with a good mild taste even in droughts. Indeterminate Item No. ToMoLi

25 Seeds per pack



Old German

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 75-85 days An old Mennonite (religious group similar to the Amish) heirloom from West Virginia. The Old German Tomato is a yellow

tomato with wonderful streaks of red which radiate out from the blossom end. Indeterminate plants produce large 1-2 lb. "boat" shaped tomatoes. With it's delicious sweet tomato flavor, Old German is one of the best slicing tomatoes on the market. A truly oldfashioned heirloom gem.

Item No. ToOlG 25 Seeds per pack

Kentucky Beefsteak (Lycopersicon lycopersi-

cum) 115 days Kentucky

Beafsteak Heirloom Tomato is a huge slicing tomato that will stick out on all four

sides of your bread. Unlike most beefsteaks, Kentucky beefsteak is fairly smooth, globe to oval shaped, and a beautiful orange color.

Indeterminate Item No. ToKeBe 25 Seeds per pack



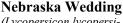
Oxheart Pink

(Lycopersicon lycopersi-65-80 days An old-

fashioned favorite with heart -shaped pink fruit weighing 1-2 lb. The Oxheart Pink

Tomato is very flavorful, firm, meaty and solid. These indeterminate tomato plants produce high yields, especially for an oxheart-type. (Interesting fact: The oxheart shape is the result of a single gene mutation, about 1925. Oxheart tomatoes are somewhat similar to meaty ponderosa types, except for the distinctive shape.)

Item No. ToOxP 25 Seeds per pack



(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

105 days Nebraska Wedding Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato yields huge, deep globe shaped

fruit that are deep orange in color. This old heirloom is a heavy yielder. Nebraska Wedding is Determinate.

Item No. ToNeW 25 Seeds per pack



Roma (VF) (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

70-80 days One of the most well known varieties of tomato, it's popularity has become world-wide. The Roma Tomato has been a

favorite of gardeners and cooks alike since it's introduction in 1958. Known for it's fine taste and meaty flesh, this disease resistant variety is most widely sought after for use in sauces and ketchup, as well as salsas. Determinate plants set forth loads of pear-shaped 2-3 oz. fruits, with firm flesh and few seeds. Item No. ToRo

25 Seeds per pack



Riesentraube

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 70 days Reisenstraube Heirloom Tomato has extremely heavy yields of small pear shaped fruit, up to 350 blossoms per

cluster. Riesentraube has a full bodied beefsteak flavor. Item No. ToRie 25 Seeds per pack



Rutgers (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

75 days An old time standard variety, grown for its uniform shape and unique tangy flavor. The Rutgers Tomato is a fairly disease-

resistant variety, introduced in 1934 as a cross between J.T.D. and Marglobe. Determinate plants produce nice, crack-resistant, thick-walled, bright red 6-8 oz. tomatoes. Primary use is for canning, can also be used fresh. Disease resistant: VF.

Item No. ToRu 25 Seeds per pack



Sausage (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
75 days Sausage Heir-

loom Open Pollinated Tomato is a huge Roma type, up to 6" long! A prolific paste tomato, ideal for catsup and sauces. Sausage is

Indeterminate. Item No. ToSau 25 Seeds per pack

Stupice (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
52 days Stupice Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato is extra early with a high tolerance to cold. Has great flavor and high yields



of 1 to 2 oz fruit. Stupice is **Indeterminate**. **Item No.** ToStu

25 Seeds per pack

Siberian (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

48 days Siberian Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato is our earliest tomato at **48 Days.** Siberian is capable of settings fruit at 38° on sturdy, dark

green bush plants. Fruit are bright red, 3 - 5 oz in weight, and bunch in clusters of 30 or more. A Russian traveler is said to have smuggled seed out in 1975. Siberian is **Determinate. Item No.** ToSib



Super Sioux

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
70 days Super Sioux Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato is an excellent variety for
hot summer climates, it will
set fruit in spite of hot dry

conditions. Super Sioux has medium sized red globed shaped fruit that are thick walled, crack free, and have an acidic flavor. Super Sioux is **Semi Indeterminate.**

Item No. ToSuS 25 Seeds per pack



Yellow Pear

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
70-80 days This attractive lemon yellow, pear-shaped heirloom dates back to the 17th century. The Yellow Pear Tomato is mild and

pleasant, rich in vitamins. These colorful favorites are a perfect addition to pasta salads, and are great sliced, in sauces, or as hors d'oeuvre's. The tall, **indeterminate** vines produce hundreds of firm skinned, 1 1/2" long fruits. They do require caging or staking. Plants are fairly resistant to both heat and cold, bearing longer than other varieties in test gardens.

Item No. ToYeP 25 Seeds per pack



Soldacki (Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

75 days Soldacki Heirloom Open Pollinated Tomato is an old heirloom that comes all the way from Poland. Soldacki yields an

intensely sweet dark pink fruit that can get up to 1 lb. Fruits have a firm flesh and are low acid. Soldacki is **Indeterminate.**

Item No. ToSol 25 Seeds per pack



(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

70 days Tommy Toe Heirloom Tomato comes from the Ozark mountains. Yields glossy red, 1" to 1

1/2" oval to round fruit that are great for salads or juicing. Tommy Toe is resistant to early blight and black rot. **Indeterminate**

Item No. ToToTo 25 Seeds per pack



Yellow Plum

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)

70-78 days These are our favorite cherry-type tomato, hands down! Highly productive, vigorous, and sprawl-

ing **indeterminate** vines set forth loads of clusters of sun-gold yellow 1 x 1 1/4" plum-shaped tomatoes. The *Yellow Plum Tomato* is mild and sweet, making excellent preserves, and delicious fresh off the vine, a perfect addition in salads, adds great color to a vegetable tray, too. Long-bearing, continuing until it frosts. These delicious gems are like a bit of sunshine with a delicious, sweet, tomato flavor like a bit of heaven on earth!

Item No. ToYPl 25 Seeds per pack



25 Seeds per pack

Tumbler (Cherry)

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum)
45-49 days This openpollinated version of the Tumbler Cherry Tomato is

very hard to find. A perfect variety for hanging baskets and containers! The *Tumbler Cherry Tomato* has a graceful, cascading habit. **Determinate** plants produce large yields of bright red 1 1/4" cherry tomatoes. An extra-early variety that is very sweet and tasty. Excellent for container gardening, but, does well in the garden, too. **Item No.** ToTuC

The greatest danger for most of us is not that we aim too high and we miss it, but we aim too low and reach it.

- Michelangelo

Turnip

Turnips are biennial, but they may produce seed in one season. Turnips are direct sown, covering the seed with .25"-.5" of soil. Seed germinates at temperatures between 70F-85F and germination occurring in 3-5 days. Once the plants are 2" tall, thin them to 4"-8" apart.



Golden Ball (Brassica ra-

38-70 days. Golden Ball Open Pollinated Turnip has golden yellow flesh that is sweet, tender, and flavorful. Golden Ball produces a 3" to

4" diameter bulb that tastes more like a Rutabaga than a turnip.

Item No. TuGoB 300 Seeds per pack



Purple Top White Globe

(Brassica rapa)

Purple Top White 50 days. Globe Open Pollinated Turnip produces a large smooth globular root 3" to 4" in diameter with a white bottom and purplish top.

Purple Top White Globe flesh is white tender and crisp.

Item No. TuPTW 300 Seeds per pack



Turnip is a fast growing turnip for greens. Tops are very large and

Tops Open Pollinated

Seven

broad. Seven Tops are often used for pasture.

Item No. TuSeT 300 Seeds per pack

Seven Tops

(Brassica rapa)

45 days.



Shogoin (Brassica rapa)

Shogoin Open Pollinated Turnips are a 35 days. dual purpose turnip grown for tops and large roots. White globe shaped roots grow about 5" across. Shogoin turnips are used commercially for greens. Item No. TuSho 300 Seeds per pack



White Egg (Brassica rapa)

White Egg Open Pollinated Turnip is an outstanding early variety for bunching. Roots are nearly round, smooth and snow white. White Egg flesh is white, sweet, crisp, tender, and mild.

Item No. TuWhE 300 Seeds per pack

Watermelon

Watermelon are heat loving plants that prefer well drained loose soil and an even amount of water. Plant in rows or hills but make sure the soil is well warmed. In cooler climates can start seeds indoors 2-4 wks. before last frost to extend the growing season. Plant seeds ½ - 1 " deep. Plant seeds or set out transplants in full sun. For rows plant 6-12" apart, in rows 6-10' apart. For hills plant 4-6 seeds per hill, in 1' diameter hills, with hills 6-10' apart. Germination should occur in 3-10 days in soil 70-85°F. In hills thin to 2 plants per hill. In rows thin plants to or set out transplants 24-36" apart. Harvest when fruit sounds hollow when thumped, when surface color turns dull, or underside turns yellow.



Allsweet (Citrullus lanatus) 90 davs. Allsweet Open Pollinated Watermelon are oblong with bright red flesh and small seed. Allsweet average 25 to 30 lbs and are excellent for fresh market. Item No. WaAll

20 Seeds per pack

Black Diamond

(Citrullus lanatus) Black Diamond 95 days. Open Pollinated Watermelon is a large melon with a glossy, solid black green rind. Flesh is red and juicy, a

hardy midseason variety. Black Diamond is great for the home heirloom garden.

Item No. WaBlD 20 Seeds per pack



Fine red flesh has a firm texture and a sweet flavor. Charleston Grey watermelons average 30 to 40 lbs.

is still very popular.

Item No. WaChG 20 Seeds per pack



73 days. Crimson Sweet Open Pollinated Watermelon are the most popular watermelon sold today. The 20 to 25 lb fruits are oval to round with a thick

rind a red flesh. Crimson Sweet has small seeds. Item No. WaCrS 20 Seeds per pack

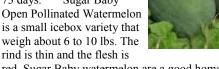


Jubilee (Citrullus lanatus) 95 days. Jubilee Open Pollinated Watermelon weigh in at 25 to 35 lbs and have a tough rind for shipping. Jubilee watermelon have red flesh and good disease resistance.

Item No. WaJub 20 Seeds per pack

Sugar Baby

(Citrullus lanatus) 73 days. Sugar Baby Open Pollinated Watermelon is a small icebox variety that weigh about 6 to 10 lbs. The



red. Sugar Baby watermelon are a good home garden variety especially in northern areas where longer season melons will not ripen.

Item No. WaSuB 20 Seeds per pack



Moon & Stars (Citrullus lanatus) 95-100 days. Moon & Stars Open Pollinated Watermelon weigh in at 40 lbs and have bright red flesh with

excellent flavor. Moon & Stars have a rind that is dark green with yellow splashes all over.

Item No. WaM&S 20 Seeds per pack



Charleston

Flowers



Alyssum - Carpet of Snow

Annual Carpet of Snow Alyssum make a nice fragrant low growing border with loads of flowers that attracts butterflies. Grows 4" tall and spreads 5-8". Carpet of Snow Alyssum likes full or partial sun. Alyssum can also be grown in containers. Item No. FlMGCR 100 Seeds per pack



Coneflower, Echinacea Purpurea

Perennial Echinacea Purpurea Coneflower is a showy perennial border plant. Echinacea Purpurea Coneflower has lavender mauve daisy blooms with dark centers that are excellent for as cut flowers. Grows 24" to 36" tall and can be grown in full sun or partial

shade. Echinacea Purpurea Coneflower has many medicinal benefits as an herb. **Item No.** FlCon 50 Seeds per pack



Marigold - Sparky Mix

Annual

These beautiful French marigolds bear lovely 2-3" blossoms, with a mix of yellow, orange, and mahogany red. Plants grow to 10-16". The *Sparky Mix Marigold* sports double blossoms with wide wavy petals, blooms Early Summer until first Fall Frosts. Great for bordering your flower garden or interplanting with your vegetables to ward off pests. You can prune off the foliage

and mix it into your soil to help control nematodes. Interplant with beans to ward off the Mexican Bean Beetle. Easy to grow!

Item No. FlMaSp 100 Seeds per pack



Nasturtium - Dwarf Jewel Mix

annual

Dwarf Jewel Mix Nasturtiums are foot tall plants that carry semi double flowers well above the foliage. Dwarf Jewel Mix Nasturtiums bloom freely with brilliant colored blooms. **Item No.** FlNaDJM 25 Seeds per pack



Wildflowers Midwestern Mix

Annual and Perennial Wild Flowers **Item No.** FlWfMM 200 Seeds per pack



Wildflowers Southern Mix

Annual and Perennial Wild Flowers **Item No.** FlWfSM 200 Seeds per pack



Alyssum - Royal Carpet

Annual Royal Carpet Alyssum is a versatile edging for borders and has loads of violet blossoms. Grows 3" tall and spreads 10".
Royal Carpet Alyssum likes full or partial sun. Alyssum can also be grown in containers. Item No. FIMGHB
100 Seeds per pack



Russell Lupine

Perennial

Russell Lupine is a perennial flower that grows 12" to 36" tall. A nice combination of solid and bicolor blooms. Russell Lupine likes full sun and blooms from spring to fall. Good choice for cutting.

Item No. FlLuRu
100 Seeds per pack



Marigold - Crackerjack Mix

Annual

This is a tall marigold! These distinguished plants grow to 2-3', making these one of the tallest marigolds. Blossoms are large, bright, ball shaped chrysanthemum-like heads, 4" across and sunny yellow, gold, or orange in color. The *Crackerjack Mix Marigolds* are among the earliest marigolds, blooming *Early* Summer to Late Fall. These Afri-

can marigolds are ideal for beds, borders, and patio containers. Great in the garden to help ward off bugs, and for nematode control (prune off foliage and mix into soil). Very easy to grow.

Item No. FlMaCj 100 Seeds per pack



Snapdragon - Maximum Mix

Snapdragon Maximum Mix has giant, ruffled blooms set on a long tapering spike. Maximum Mix plants are 30" tall. Assorted colors. Snapdragon Maximum Mix is an Annual.

Item No. FISdMM 600 Seeds per pack



Sweet Pea - Royal Mix

Lathyrus odoratus Annual
Royal Mix Sweet Pea are very popular,
vigorous climbing vines that produce from
early summer on. 5-10' vines can be trained
to climb a trellis or fence. Small flowers in
large clusters of white, rose and pink colors. They like full sun. Item No. FISPRM
25 Seeds per pack

Sunflowers

Direct sow seeds after all danger of frost is past and soil has warmed up. Place seeds 1"-1.5" deep, 6-9" apart. After emergence, thin to a 12" to 18" spacing, saving the healthiest plants. Seeds can also be sown indoors and transplanted outdoors for earlier blooms. For fresh cut Sunflowers, cut blooms as soon as they are fully open. For bird food, let heads mature before cutting. Dry heads in the sun or under cover in a dry place. After heads are dry, hang whole head outside for the birds or rub heads over a pail with a frame made with 1/4" hardware cloth. Seeds can also be toasted and eaten.



Autumn Beauty

Annual
Autumn Beauty Sunflowers average 60" tall and have bold beautiful flowers 8" across. Autumn Beauty is a mixture of bright yellow, bronze, and purple shades with some bicolors. Autumn Beauty Sunflower is a multi branching type which produces many long stemmed flowers. Item No. FlAuB 50 Seeds per pack



Lemon Queen

Annual
Lemon Queen Sunflower grows 60" tall and is very heat and drought tolerant. Produces up to 10" pale lemon yellow flower by midsummer. To extend the blooming season for Lemon Queen Sunflower, keep cutting the flowers as

they mature. Lemon Queen Sunflower has a strong, wind resistant stalk. Bees and Butterfly's love this Sunflower variety.

Item No. FlLeQ 50 Seeds per pack



Mammoth Grey Stripe

Annual
Mammoth
Grey Stripe
Sunflower
grow to 10 feet
tall and have a
spectacular
golden bloom
up to 12"
across. Seeds

from these giants can be eaten, just crack the shell and eat the heart. Can be roasted too. Mammoth Grey Striped makes excellent bird feed.

Item No. FIMGS 50 Seeds per pack



Incredible (Dwarf)

Annual
Incredible Sunflower is 18" tall and does well in containers.
Produces huge 10" yellow flowers.

Item No. FlInc 50 Seeds per pack

Seed Collections

Beginner Garden Seed Collection

The Beginner Vegetable Garden Seed Collection helps the new gardener get off to the right start. A garden is a great way to enjoy the outdoors, relieve stress, and get in a little exercise as well. In this vegetable seed collection are easy-to-grow varieties, to help you in relieving your stress; answering the questions "Where do I start?" and "What do I grow?", often difficult choices for the new gardener! We have hand selected a variety of colorful and delicious favorite vegetables for you to try your hand at and enjoy the rewards, right from your own back yard. There is nothing more exciting than to watch the fruits of your labor grow and flourish, from seed, to plant, to fresh and flavorful bounty on your table! All varieties should grow well in most conditions throughout the U.S. Item No. SCBeg 10% Savings



Beginner Garden Seed Collection:

- · 1 Bean (Bush) Blue Lake Bush
- · 1 Beet Early Wonder Tall Top
- · 1 Carrot Danvers 126
- · 1 Cucumber Spacemaster 80 Bush
- · 1 Leaf Lettuce Black Seeded Simpson
- · 1 Radish Early Scarlet Globe
- · 1 Spinach Bloomsdale Longstanding

Container Garden Seed Collection



The Container Vegetable Garden Seed Collection has been selected with small spaces in mind perfect for containers, raised beds, and the postage stamp sized garden plot. Container gardening is a wonderful new trend, enabling those who want to garden but don't have the space, or good soil, to grow

their own delicious home-grown vegetables. These vitamin rich varieties will supply you with a medley of fresh and canning vegetables that your family will love. There's nothing like growing your own vegetables and with the rising popularity of container gardening you too can have your own garden!

Item No. SCCon 10% Savings

Container Vegetable Garden Seed Collection:

- · 1 Bean Blue Lake Bush 274
- · 1 Beet Cylindra
- · 1 Carrot Little Fingers
- · 1 Cucumber Bush Pickle
- · 1 Lettuce Black Seeded Simpson
- · 1 Pepper Emerald Giant
- · 1 Radish French Breakfast
- · 1 Spinach Bloomsdale Long Standing
- · 1 Summer Squash Black Beauty
- · 1 Swiss Chard Rainbow Mix
- · 1 Tomato Marglobe Supreme
- · 1 Tomato Roma
- · 1 Winter Squash Buttercup Bush, Emerald

Herb Garden Seed Collection



The Herb Garden Seed Collection contains a selection of the most reliable and easy to grow herbs, for the herb enthusiast who wants to start growing their own herbs in their home garden. There is nothing like stepping outside your door to gather your own home-grown, fresh, full-flavor, fragrant herbs to add to your favorite recipes. Even if not grown for use in cooking,

herbs are worth growing for their pleasant aromatic foliage or their beautiful flowers. Herbs can be used fresh for garnish in salads, to add delicious flavor to bland vegetables, or to make mouth-watering meats and stews, also a wonderful addition to soups! Hang drying herbs in a closet or other space in your home, to enjoy their lovely scent.

Item No. SCHer 10% Savings

Herb Garden Seed Collection:

- · 1 Herb Anise
- · 1 Herb Basil, Sweet
- · 1 Herb Chives (Allium Schoeno)
- · 1 Herb Chives (Garlic)
- 1 Herb Coriander (Cilantro)
- 1 Herb Dill, Bouquet
- · 1 Herb Florence Fennel
- · 1 Herb Marjoram, Sweet
- · 1 Herb Oregano, Italian
- · 1 Herb Parsley, Moss Curled
- 1 Herb Sage, Broadleaf
- · 1 Herb Summer Savory
- · 1 Herb Thyme

Kids Garden Seed Collection



The Kid's Vegetable Garden Seed Collection is the perfect starter garden for the young ones in your life (or even the young at heart!). The vitamin rich varieties in the this package will capture your childrens' imaginations with the wide range of colors and flavors. From purple beans and carrots to "bulls eye" beets, your kid's will have a blast watching their garden grow, and tasting the fruits of their

own labors. What a way to get them to eat their vegetables! Time and again parents have found that children like vegetables more when they've taken part in growing them themselves.

Item No. SCkids 10% Savings

Kid's Vegetable Garden Seed Collection:

- · 1 Bean (Bush) Purple Queen
- · 1 Beet Chioggia
- · 1 Carrot Atomic Red
- · 1 Carrot Cosmic Purple
- · 1 Corn Strawberry Popcorn
- · 1 Pumpkin Small Sugar
- · 1 Radish Easter Egg
- · 1 Snap pea Cascadia
- · 1 Watermelon Sugar Baby

Lettuce Garden Seed Collection



The Lettuce Garden Seed Collection is the salad lover's paradise, providing you with a full season of mouth-watering salads. Contained in this package is a nice selection of head, loose leaf and romaine lettuce varieties, the perfect blend of flavors, textures, and vitamin-rich colors, with something for everyone. Nothing beats a fresh, healthy, delicious salad straight from your own back yard. Best of all, lettuce is one of

those wonderful garden vegetables you can start enjoying early. Sweet and tender baby greens are a delight to garden lovers everywhere, one of the first veggies ready to harvest in spring, when you can hardly wait to taste something fresh from the garden. That first salad out of the garden captures the taste of Spring! **Item No.** SCLet 10% Savings

Lettuce Garden Seed Collection:

- · 1 Lettuce Black Seeded Simpson
- · 1 Lettuce Buttercrunch
- · 1 Lettuce Freckles
- · 1 Lettuce Grand Rapids TBR
- · 1 Lettuce Great Lakes 118
- · 1 Lettuce Summertime
- · 1 Lettuce Oakleaf
- · 1 Lettuce Paris Island COS
- · 1 Lettuce Prizehead
- · 1 Lettuce Ruby Red
- · 1 Lettuce Salad Bowl

Small Family Vegetable Garden Seed Collection

The Small Family Vegetable Garden Seed Collection is a great selection of healthy, colorful, vitamin-rich, family favorites. We have chosen varieties that are reliable, and easy to grow, to give your family a full year of fresh and canned delicious vegetables and fruits right out your own back yard. The garden seeds in this package should generally grow well in all areas of the U.S., in varying light and soil conditions, taking the guess work out of what vegetable seeds to choose. With the great variety, there's bound to be something in this great collection of vegetable garden seeds that even your most picky eater will love! Item No. SCSma 10% Savings



Small Family Vegetable Garden Collection:

- · 1 Bean Blue Lake Bush 274
- · 1 Beet Early Wonder Tall Top
- · 1 Broccoli Green Sprouting Calabrese
- · 1 Cabbage Golden Acre
- · 1 Cantaloupe Hales Best Jumbo
- · 1 Carrot Danvers 126
- · 1 Cauliflower Snowball Self-Blanching
- · 1 Corn Stowell's Evergreen
- 1 Cucumber Homemade Pickle
- 1 Cucumber Marketmore 76
- · 1 Herb Dill, Bouquet
- 1 Lettuce Black Seeded Simpson

- · 1 Pea Progress #9 PMR
- · 1 Pepper Emerald Giant
- · 1 Pumpkin Small Sugar
- · 1 Radish French Breakfast
- · 1 Spinach Bloomsdale Long Standing
- · 1 Summer Squash Black Beauty
- · 1 Winter Squash Waltham Butternut
- · 1 Swiss Chard Fordhook Giant
- · 1 Tomato Beefsteak
- · 1 Tomato Rutgers

Large Family Vegetable Garden Seed Collection

· 1 Watermalon - Sugar Baby

Large Family Vegetable Garden Seed Collection



The Large Family Vegetable Garden Seed Collection is the perfect package for the large family, market grower, or a community garden. A large selection of best our around vegetable

and fruit garden seed varieties, all open-pollinated, non-hybrid, and Non-GMO. We have selected varieties that should generally do well in all areas of the U.S., as well as varying soil and light conditions. Packed with a great balance of fresh and canning fruits and vegetables to supply your family with high nutritional value for a year, this package will fill a large garden plot with delicious home grown goodness.

Item No. SCLar 10% Savings

- 2 Bean Blue Lake Bush 274
- 2 Bean Contender
- 2 Bean Black Turtle
- 1 Bean (Pole) Kentucky Wonder
- 2 Beet Early Wonder Tall Top
- 1 Broccoli Green Sprouting Calabrese
- 1 Cabbage Early Jersey Wakefield
- · 1 Cabbage Golden Acre
- · 1 Cantaloupe Hales Best Jumbo
- 1 Carrot Chantenay, Red Core
- · 1 Carrot Danvers 126
- · 1 Cauliflower Snowball Self-Blanching
- · 2 Corn Stowell's Evergreen
- · 1 Cucumber Homemade Pickle
- · 1 Cucumber Marketmore 76
- · 1 Herb Dill, Bouquet
- · 1 Lettuce Buttercrunch · 1 Lettuce - Black Seeded Simpson
- · 1 Lettuce Paris Island COS
- · 1 Lettuce Prizehead

- · 1 Parsley Plain Leaf
- · 1 Pea Suger Sprint
- · 1 Pea Progress #9 PMR
- · 1 Pepper Emerald Giant
- · 1 Pumpkin Small Sugar
- · 1 Radish French Breakfast
- · 1 Spinach Bloomsdale Long Standing
- · 1 Summer Squash Black Beauty
- · 1 Summer Squash Early Summer Crook-
- 1 Winter Squash Blue Hubbard
- 1 Winter Squash Delicata
- 1 Winter Squash Waltham Butternut
- 1 Winter Squash Vegetable Spaghetti
- · 1 Swiss Chard Fordhook Giant
- · 1 Tomato Beefsteak
- · 1 Tomato Anna Russian
- · 1 Tomato Marglobe Supreme
- · 1 Tomato Large Red Cherry
- · 1 Tomato Rutgers

St. Clare's Ultimate Vegetable Garden Seed Collection



The St. Clare's Ultimate Vegetable Garden Seed Collection is the second largest vegetable garden seed collection we offer. This garden seed package is a great choice for the garden enthusiast who wants to try a large variety of veggies in their garden or for those wishing to stock up some on this vital commodity, which will be worth it's weight in gold in times of economic downturn, but not wanting to spend as much as the cost of our S. Clare's Stocking Up Vegetable Garden Seed Collection. Vegetable garden seeds are insurance for your family's nutritional needs, an irreplaceable provision well worth stocking up on. Now is the time to learn all one can about gardening and seed saving, so as be prepared to provide the fresh, canned, and dried fruits and vegetables that will fill your family's vitamin and mineral needs, when obtaining these vital provisions may no longer be as simple as a trip to the local supermarket. There is no better investment one can make to assure food

for the future than vegetable garden seeds! Not only is the St. Clare's Ultimate Vegetable Garden Seed Collection a good investment for your personal needs, but vegetable garden seeds will be a very valuable bartering commodity when food is not so readily available, and everyone is racing to plant a garden to provide the food their families need. **Item No. SCUIT** 10% Savings

St. Clare's Ultimate Vegetable Garden Collection

- · 2 Beans Black Turtle
- · 4 Beans Blue Lake Bush 274
- · 1 Bean Christmas Lima
- · 4 Beans Contender
- · 3 Bean Great Northern
- · 2 Beans Henderson's Black Valentine
- · 1 Bean (Pole) Kentucky Blue
- · 2 Beets Bull's Blood
- · 2 Beets Early Wonder Tall Top
- · 2 Beets Golden Detroit
- · 2 Bell (Sweet) Peppers California Wonder 300
- · 2 Bell (Sweet) Peppers Emerald Giant
- · 1 Broccoli Green Sprouting Calabrese
- · 1 Cabbage Early Jersey Wakefield
- · 1 Cabbage Golden Acre
- · 1 Cabbage Red Acre
- · 1 Cantaloupe Hales Best Jumbo
- · 1 Cantaloupe Minnesota Midget
- · 2 Carrots Chantenay, Red Core
- · 2 Carrots Danvers 126
- · 1 Cauliflower Snowball Self-Blanching
- · 2 Corn Japanese Hulless White Popcorn
- · 4 Corn Stowell's Evergreen
- · 4 Corn Truckers Favorite Yellow

- · 1 Cucumber Homemade Pickle
- 1 Cucumber Marketmore 76
- 1 Cucumber White Wonder
- · 1 Eggplant Black Beauty
- · 1 Endive Green Curled Ruffec
- · 1 Herb Dill, Bouquet
- · 1 Hot Pepper Jalapeno Mid
- · 1 Hot Pepper Serrano Chili
- 2 Leeks American Flag
- · 1 Lettuce Buttercrunch
- · 1 Lettuce Black Seeded Simpson
 - · 1 Lettuce Great Lakes 118
- · 1 Lettuce Paris Island COS
- · 1 Lettuce Prizehead
- · 1 Mustard Tendergreen
- · 1 Onion Yellow Sweet Spanish
- · 1 Parsley Plain Leaf
- · 1 Parsnip Hollow Crown Improved
- · 2 Peas Super Sugar Snap
- · 2 Peas Progress #9 PMR
- · 1 Pumpkin Big Max
- · 1 Pumpkin Connecticut Field
- · 1 Pumpkin Small Sugar
- · 2 Radishes Crimson Giant

- · 2 Radishes Early Scarlet Globe
- 2 Radishes French Breakfast
- 2 Rutabaga Luarentian
- 2 Spinach Bloomsdale Long Standing
- · 1 Summer Squash Black Beauty
- · 1 Summer Squash Early Crookneck
- 1 Summer Squash Zucchini, Round
- · 1 Winter Squash Golden Hubbard
- · 1 Winter Squash Delicata
- 1 Winter Squash Table Queen Acorn
- · 1 Winter Squash Waltham Butternut
- · 1 Winter Squash Vegetable Spaghetti
- · 2 Swiss Chard Fordhook Giant
- · 2 Tomatoes Beefsteak
- · 2 Tomatoes Cherokee Purple
- · 2 Tomatoes Marglobe Supreme
- · 2 Tomatoes Roma
- · 2 Tomatoes Rutgers
- 2 Tomatoes Yellow Pear
- · 1 Turnip Golden Ball
- · 1 Turnip Purple Top White Globe
- · 1 Turnip White Egg
- · 1 Watermelon Black Diamond
- · 1 Watermalon Sugar Baby

SEEDS ARE LIVING ORGANISMS

When you look at a hard dry seed kernel, it is hard to imagine that if you plant it in the soil and nurture it that a real live plant will sprout from it when the right conditions occur. There are many steps involved for this seed to actually sprout and grow. But the real short of it is that when you plant a seed in fertile soil, it absorbs moisture from the soil. This causes the seed to swell and soon a sprout can be seen breaking through the outer shell that becomes the coot. Next will be the stem and so on. During this germination stage It is crucial that the conditions are right. Correct moisture and temperature are very important. Seeds also need oxygen to germinate. After the seed swelling begins, if the moisture should become so depleted that the process has to stop or even just Slow down, the seed will probably die. Or if heavy rains should crust the soil, the germinated seed has only so much push, to break through the crusts. If this does not happen within this seeds time frame, again, the seed will die. As the growing seedling needs photosynthesis from the sun to continue to grow. Without it, it will die. We have only touched on a few very basic steps In the germination of a seed. The curious will research this rather, in their quest to succeed.

St. Clare's Stocking Up Vegetable Garden Seed Collection

The St. Clare's Stocking Up Vegetable Garden Seed Collection is the largest vegetable garden seed collection we offer. This garden seed package is created specifically for those wishing to stock up on the vital commodity of open-pollinated vegetable seeds, which will be worth their weight in gold in times of economic downturn. We chose the vegetable seed varieties in this package carefully with stocking up in mind, only including seeds that will last longer than a mere 1-2 years (when stored properly of course, in a cool, dry, dark location). With the large amounts contained in this seed collection you will have plenty for your family's future needs, or enough to share within your community to help those around you keep food on the table! Item No. SCSto 10% Savings

- 10 Beans Black Turtle Dry Bean (500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Beans Blue Lake Bush 274 Snap Bean (500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Beans Contender Snap Bean (500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Bean Great Northern Dry Bean (500 Seeds)
- 5 Bean (Pole) Kentucky Wonder Snap Bean (250 Seeds)
- 10 Beets Early Wonder Tall Top Beets (2500 Seeds Total)
- 5 Broccoli Green Sprouting Calabrese Broccoli (250 Seeds)
- 5 Cabbage Golden Acre Cabbage (500 Seeds)
- 5 Cabbage Copenhagen Market Cabbage (500 Seeds)
- 5 Cantaloupe Honey Rock (250 Seeds)
- 10 Carrots Chantenay, Red Core Carrots (2500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Carrots Danvers 126 Carrots (2500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Corn Boone County White Roasting and Dent Corn (500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Corn Truckers Favorite Yellow Dent Corn (500 Seeds Total)
- 5 Cucumber Homemade Pickle Pickling Cucumber (125 Seeds)
- 5 Cucumber Marketmore 76 Slicing Cucumber (125 Seeds)
- 5 Endive Green Curled Ruffec Endive (1,000 Seeds)
- 5 Herb Dill, Bouquet (For Pickling) (250 Seeds)
- 5 Leek American Flag Leek (1250 Seeds)
- 5 Lettuce Buttercrunch Head Lettuce (1,250 Seeds)
- 5 Lettuce Prizehead Loose Leaf Lettuce (1,250 Seeds)
- 5 Lettuce Salad Bowl Loose Leaf Lettuce (1,250 Seeds)
- 5 Pepper, Bell (Sweet) Emerald Giant Pepper (250 Seeds Total)
- 5 Pepper, Hot Jalapeno Mid Hot Pepper (250 Seeds)
- 10 Peas Super Snap Snap Pea (500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Peas Progress #9 PMR Shelling Pea (500 Seeds Total)
- 5 Pumpkin Small Sugar Pie Pumpkin (125 Seeds)
- 5 Radishes Cherry Belle Radish (1,250 Seeds Total)
- 5 Radishes White Icicle Radish (1,250 Seeds Total)
- 5 Rutabaga American Purple Top Rutabaga (1,500 Seeds Total)
- 10 Spinach Bloomsdale Long Standing Spinach (2,000 Seeds Total)
- 5 Swiss Chard Fordhook Giant Swiss Chard (750 Seeds)
- 5 Summer Squash Black Beauty Zucchini Summer Squash (125 Seeds)
- 5 Summer Squash Early Summer Crookneck Summer Squash (125 Seeds)
- 5 Winter Squash Blue Hubbard Winter Squash (125 Seeds)
- 5 Winter Squash Table Queen Acorn Winter Squash (125 Seeds)
- 5 Winter Squash Vegetable Spaghetti Winter Squash (125 Seeds)
- 5 Winter Squash Waltham Butternut Winter Squash (125 Seeds)
- 5 Tomatoes Delicious Indeterminate Canning or Fresh Slicing Tomato (125 Seeds Total)
- 3 Tomatoes Large Red Cherry Indeterminate Fresh Cherry Tomato (75 Seeds Total)

5 Tomatoes - Beefsteak Indeterminate Fresh Slicing Tomato - (125 Seeds Total)

- 5 Tomatoes Roma Determinate Canning or Fresh Tomato (125 Seeds Total)
- 5 Tomatoes Rutgers Determinate Canning or Fresh Tomato (125 Seeds Total)
- 5 Tomatoes Yellow Plum Indeterminate Fresh Cherry Tomato (125 Seeds Total)
- 5 Turnip Purple Top White Globe Turnip (1,500 Seeds)
- 5 Watermelon Crimson Sweet Watermelon (125 Seeds)
- 5 Watermelon Sugar Baby Watermelon (125 Seeds)

100% Certifed Organic Seeds

Introducing our newest line of seeds, 100% Certified Organic garden seeds! These seeds are also, of course, Non-GMO, untreated, non-hybrid, heirloom/open pollinated, just like our usual line of seeds.

You may ask, "Why buy organic seeds?", and there are a few reasons people choose to go with organic seeds. One good reason that makes sense to most gardeners is that seeds coming from organically grown plants will have already been exposed to organic growing conditions and have that extra boost in being likely to thrive in your organic garden. Others just like the peace of mind that their garden is starting out 100% organic, right from the start. Whatever your reason for wanting to buy 100% Certified Organic seeds, we now offer our valued customers this excellent option for their gardens, because, like you, we care about what's going into our gardens, and into our family's diet!



Blue Lake Bush 274 Organic

(Phaseolus vulgaris)

54-61 days. This dark green bean is a favorite for canning and freezing, a high quality bean with fine texture. The Blue Lake Bush 276 Heirloom Bush Bean's small 12-22" plants set

forth heavy yields of dark green, round, 5 ½-6 ½" pods, over the entire season. This variety originated from the Pole Blue Lake and was developed in 1961. Resistant to BCMV and NY15, widely adapted to varied growing conditions.

Item No. BbBLBOrg 50 Seeds per pack

Contender Organic (a.k.a. Buff Valentine, Early Contender, Contender String-

(Phaseolus vulgaris)

40-55 days. Earlier than most beans and very productive, this

popular variety was introduced in 1949. The Contender Heirloom Bush Green Bean is great for cool, short-season climates, but also does well in heat, well adapted to varying growing conditions. Dark green 12-20" plants set forth good yields of med-green 6-8" pods, very flavorful. High in vitamin A, B, and C. Resistant to BCMV, NY15, and GP.

Item No. BbConOrg 50 Seeds per pack



Kentucky Blue Organic

(Phaseolus vulgaris) 51-73 days. An old heirloom variety of pole bean that produces pods 6-8" long, on 6 -8' vines. The Kentucky Blue

Heirloom Pole Bean comes from a cross of Kentucky Wonder and Blue Lake Pole Beans, bred by Dr. Calvin Lamborn. The round, straight, smooth pods have a distinctive flavor with traces of Blue Lake's sweetness, and are very tender when cooked. The Kentucky Blue Pole Bean won the famous All -American Selections (AAS) Award in 1991! Disease Resistance: BCMV.

Item No. BpKBOrg 50 Seeds per pack



Detroit Dark Red Organic

(Beta vulgaris) 58 days. The Detroit Dark Red Beet, an all-time favorite, has a full, round globe, uni-

formly deep red in color. This beet is known for it's sweet flavor, and smooth texture. The tops are dark green and 12" - 15" tall, making good greens. An heirloom variety introduced in 1892. Great for eating fresh, pickling, and canning. Item No. BeDDROrg 250 Seeds per pack



85 days. A true favorite that old timers swear by. Hale's Best Jumbo Melon is a great early cantaloupe, with very thick sweet flesh, and a small seed cavity, giving you the most melon for your money and your work! The exterior is heavily netted, and the salmon colored interior flesh is rich in flavor. Introduced over 80 years ago this cantaloupe has truly stood the test of time with prolific vines producing large 3-5 lbs. melons. Drought resistant, does well in many growing conditions. Item No. ClHBJOrg 25 Seeds per pack



Scarlet Nantes Organic (Early Coreless, Scarlet Nantes Coreless) (Daucus carota) 65-68 days. A French heirloom introduced in 1855. The Scarlet Nantes

Carrot is sweet, juicy, and nearly coreless. Stout, blunt roots grow to about 4-6", bright red-orange in color, and full

of flavor. High in vitamins. A great choice for fresh eating, freezing and juicing. Item No. CtScNOrg 250 Seeds per pack



Green Sprouting Calabrese Organic (a.k.a. Early Italian Green Sprouting)

(Brassica oleracea) 58-90 days from trans-

plant. This broccoli variety was brought to America from Italy in the late 1800s. Green Sprouting Calabrese Broccoli is a true mainstay with gardeners. Heads grow to 5-8", with a central head, bearing many side

shoots. Does well in cool climates, extremely frost tolerant. Will continue to grow side shoots throughout season, even after main head is cut. Very flavorful, and rich in vitamins. Item No. BrGSCOrg

50 Seeds per pack



Danvers 126 Organic (a.k.a. Half Long, Danvers **Red Core #126)**

(Daucus carota)

65-87 days. Danvers carrots are conical shaped, with well-defined shoulders, taper-

ing to a point at the tip. They do well in clay or heavy soils, with high yields. The Danvers 126 Carrot is heat tolerant. Grows 7-8" long, with large, sturdy tops that aid in harvesting. This variety was developed by the Eastern States Farmers Exchange, West Springfield, Massachusetts from other strains of Danvers which were known for heat resistance. The Danvers 126 has dark bright-orange flesh, which is smooth, sweet, and tender. Stores well. A popular choice for home and market.

Item No. CtDnvrOrg 250 Seeds per pack



(a.k.a. Buttercrunch Bibb. Butter King) (Lactuca sativa) Buttercrunch Open Pollinated Butterhead Lettuce is crisp, tender, sweet, and slow to bolt. Buttercrunch

has a larger 4.5" head with the center of the head blanching to a yellow white color.

Item No. LeButOrg 250 Seeds per pack



Romaine Lettuce - Parris White

COS Organic (Ocimum basilicum) 90 days. Italian Large Leaf Basil is a sweeter pesto type with large medium dark green leaves mostly used for spicing foods. Italian Large Leaf Basil grows 24" to 36" tall.

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Basil - Sweet Italian Large Leaf <mark>Organic</mark>

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peño M) (Capsicum annum)



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Small Sugar Organic

(Cucurbita pepo) Small Sugar 90 days. Open Pollinated Pumpkin is the favorite for pies and canning. Small Sugar has 6 - 8 lbs fruit that has an

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Champion Organic

(Raphanus sativus) 28 days. Champion Open Pollinated Radish has a round scarlet red root that grows to a good size with flesh that is firm,

crisp and white. Champion is excellent for extra early or late sowing's.

Item No. RaChaOrg 250 Seeds per pack



California Wonder 300 Organic (a.k.a. California Wonder 300 TMR) (Capsicum annum) 73-76 days. A wonderful variety of open-

pollinated sweet bell pepper, producing high yields of heavy, smooth, thick walled peppers. The California Wonder 300 Sweet Bell Peppers reach 4-41/2" in length by 3½-4" wide. Fruits are blocky and 4 lobed, turning from a glossy dark green to red at maturity. Excellent at either the green or red stage. Thick crisp flesh has a mild and pleasant flavor. Great raw, with dip, or in salads. Makes a perfect stuffing bell pepper. California Wonder 300 Sweet Bell Peppers are high in Vitamins A and C! This bell pepper does well in cooler climates with shorter growing seasons. Disease Resistance: Tobacco Mosaic Virus. **Item No.** PpCW3Org 25 Seeds per pack



Black Beauty Organic

(Cucurbita pepo)

Black Beauty Open Pol-58 days. linated Summer Squash Zucchini is the most popular home garden variety. Black Beauty is very productive and there fruits should be pick when

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Oregon Sugar Pod II - Snow

Pea Organic (Pisum sativum) 60-68 days. A very productive early variety with short, compact vines that grow to about 28-30". The Oregon Sugar Pod II Snow Pea pro-

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Item No. PeOSPOrg 50 Seeds per pack



Amish Paste Organic

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) One of the largest of 70-85 days the paste tomatoes, known for it's wonderful flavor. The Amish Paste Tomato is an heirloom that was discovered among the Amish in Wis-

consin, although it originates with the Pennsylvania Amish. With a nice balance of sweet and acid, this tomato is great for eating fresh, canning, and is especially terrific for sauces. These large indeterminate plants produce high yields. The fruits are oxheart, almost teardrop in shape, deep red in color, with thick flesh, and few seeds, weighing approx. 8-12oz. Needs special attention to support as plants tend to be droopy. This is one of our favorite tomatoes, and many we know swear by it to be one of the best paste tomatoes!

Item No. ToAPOrg 25 Seeds per pack



Bloomsdale Long Standing Organic (Long Standing, Bloomsdale Savoy Long Standing, Bloomsdale Long Standing Dark Green, American Bloomsdale Extra Long Standing)

(Spinacia oleracea) 39-60 days An excellent old-time favorite heirloom spinach variety, dependable and delicious, by far the most popular variety on the market! Bloomsdale Long Standing Spinach stands well in hot weather, without bolting (going to seed

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Beefsteak Organic (a.k.a. Scarlet Beefsteak, Red Ponderosa, Crimson Cushion) (Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 65-90 days An old-fashioned favorite,

popular in gardens for years. The *Beefsteak* Heirloom Tomato's vigorous, indeterminate vines bear high yields of meaty 10 oz. - 2 lb.

tomatoes, somewhat ribbed and rough. These large tomatoes are flattened, solid, and meaty. The juicy, bright red fruits are very flavorful, perfect for slicing, delicious on sandwiches, or in salads. Rich sub-acid flavor hearkening to the old-time tomato flavor so sought after by those who remember juicy delicious tomatoes right out of Grandma's garden. Plants need good support. **Item No.** ToBf Org 25 Seeds per pack





Roma (VF) Organic

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 70-80 days One of the most well known varieties of tomato, it's popularity has become world-wide. The Roma Tomato has been a

favorite of gardeners and cooks alike since it's introduction in 1958. Known for it's fine taste and meaty flesh, this disease resistant variety is most widely sought after for use in sauces and ketchup, as well as salsas. Determinate plants set forth loads of pear-shaped 2-3 oz. fruits, with firm flesh and few seeds. Item No. ToRoOrg 25 Seeds per pack

Sugar Baby **Organic**

(Citrullus lanatus) 73 days. Sugar Baby Open Pollinated Watermelon is a small icebox variety

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Yellow Pear Organic

(Lycopersicon lycopersicum) 70-80 days This attractive lemon yellow, pear-shaped heirloom dates back to the 17th century. The Yellow Pear Tomato is mild and

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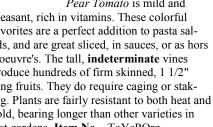




Table Queen Acorn Organic (a.k.a. Danish, Pepper Squash, Des Moines)

(Cucurbita pepo) 75-90 days. A dark green acorn shaped heirloom squash that

is descended from a heart shaped

squash grown by the Arikara Indians in the early 1800s. The Table Queen Acorn Squash was first introduced by the Iowa Seed Co. in 1913. Deep orange flesh is fine-textured, sweet, dry, and thick. Good for baking, and immature fruit can also be used as a summer squash. Good for storage. Fruits weigh about 1 ½ lbs, and grow to 4 x 5 ½ in. Item No. SqTQAOrg 25 Seeds per pack



Waltham Butternut Organic

(Cucurbita moschata) 95-110 days. The most popular of the winter squashes. The Waltham Butternut Squash

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Vegetable Spaghetti Organic

(a.k.a. Spaghetti Squash) (Cucurbita pepo) 90 days. Introduced by Sakata Seed Co. of Japan, in 1934. May have originated in China. A popular low calorie alternative to pastas. The Vegetable Spaghetti Squash produces vigorous spreading vines,

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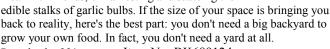
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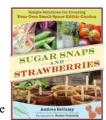
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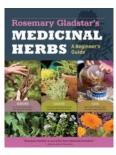


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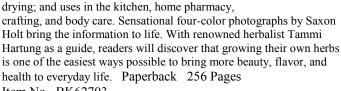
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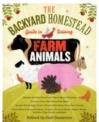


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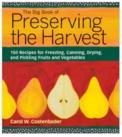


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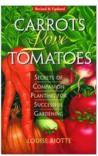


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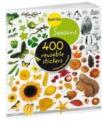


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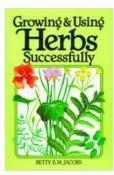


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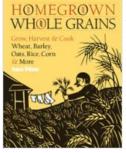
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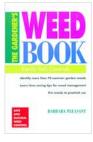


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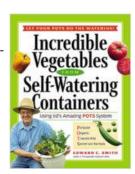
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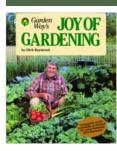
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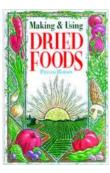


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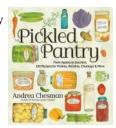
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Kathy Harrison's practical plan for emergency self-sufficiency. Learn how to evaluate, organize, and rotate your food supply; pack an evacuation kit; protect important documents from fire; develop a communications system; make nutritious, delicious meals with canned and dried pantry items; use alternative heating sources; and entertain the kids without television or computers. Everything you need to know to survive when public services fail is covered in this essential guide to family preparedness.

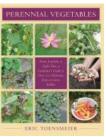
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Organic Gardeners Handbook

The Organic Gardeners Handbook tells you everything you need to know to create a highly productive vegetable garden. Combining European tradition with American creativity, it co-

vers the art and science of organic gardening with a depth that is rarely seen in contemporary books. There are chapters on every aspect of organic vegetable gardening, soil dynamics, soil management, cultivation, composting, crop planning, raising seedlings, watering, harvesting, seed saving, greenhouses, and much more. Whether you are a complete novice and need your hand held through every step, or a veteran gardener with a permanent layer of soil under your fingernails, you will find this book both helpful and informative. Paperback 208 pages

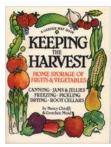


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Perennial Vegetables

There is a fantastic array of heirloom vegetables you can grow in your garden, and not all of them are annuals. In *Perennial Vegetables* the adventurous heirloom gardener will find

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Keeping the Harvest

Enjoy your abundant harvest of gardenfresh fruits and vegetables throughout the year with these simple, yet satisfying home-preserving techniques.

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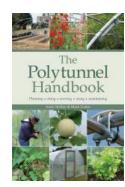


McGee & Stuckey's Bountiful Container

With few exceptionssuch as corn and pumpkins-everything edible that's grown in a traditional garden can be raised in a container. And with only one exception-watering-

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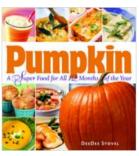


Polytunnel Handbook

The Polytunnel
Handbook looks at
all aspects of polytunnel use, from
planning your purchase to harvesting
the rewards, and
includes a step-bystep guide detailing
how polytunnels
are put up and

maintained. There are chapters on developing healthy soil and preventing pests, and a jargon-free guide to the range of often mystifying accessories that many tunnel retailers offer. In addition, the do-it-yourself enthusiast will find a full set of instructions for building a polytunnel from scratch, and the authors explain how to keep your polytunnel productive in every season.

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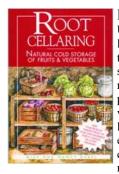


Pumpkin

Take advantage of pumpkin's health benefits all year by adding its mellow flavor and smooth texture to an exciting variety of global tastes and classic baked

goods. Use canned puree in spicy Thai Pumpkin Soup; toss a handful of toasted seeds into a hearty Winter Salad with Maple Pumpkin Dressing; or savor the warm taste of fresh pumpkin in Moroccan Chicken & Pumpkin Stew. Of course the rich spicy flavor of pumpkin pie filling never fails to delight-it's well represented here with six fresh takes on pumpkin pie, along with Pumpkin Cheesecake, Almond Pumpkin Bread Pudding, Pumpkin Panna Cotta, and Pumpkin Ginger Ice Cream.

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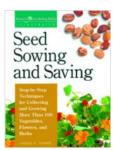


Root Cellaring

Use the earth's naturally cool, stable temperature as an energy-saving way to store nearly 100 varieties of perishable fruits and vegetables all year long. Root Cellaring explains how to successfully use this natural storage approach.

It's the first book devoted entirely to the subject, and it covers the subject with a thoroughness that makes it the only book you'll ever need on root cellaring.

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Seed Sowing and Saving

Step-by-Step Techniques for Collecting and Growing More Than 100 Vegetables, Flowers, and Herbs.
Learn when to harvest the seeds of more than 100 vegetables, herbs.

and flowers, as well as how to dry, store, and test them for viability for the next growing season

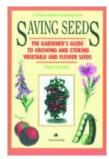
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Put 'em Up!

With Sherri Brooks
Vinton's fun and reassuring approach to
preserving food, its
easier than ever before
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vegetables. Using the

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Saving Seeds

Learn how to select, harvest, and store seeds from more that 100 heirloom vegetables and heirloom flowers commonly grown in home heirloom gardens. Detailed seed information for each heirloom vegetable and flower gives you everything you need

to know about how to raise, harvest, and store seeds for a lifetime of fruitful home gardening. Paperback 192 pages Item No. BkSS



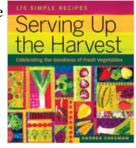
Secrets to Great Soil

Learn all the secrets for creating fertile, productive soil anywhere. With more than 300 detailed illustrations and ataglance charts, *Secrets to Great Soil* solves all your garden soil problems and

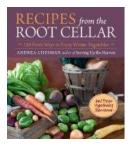
gives you techniques for year-round soil building. Paperback 244 pages Item No. BkSGS

Serving Up the Harvest

Savor the bounty! Buy them at a farmers' market, a grocery store, or a roadside farmstand. Or pick them in daily batches from your



own garden. No matter where you find your vegetables, their fresh-from-the-earth goodness demands inspired preparation. Andrea Chesman shares more than 175 recipes designed to bring out the very best in whatever produce is peaking now. Paperback 512 pages Item No. BkSUH

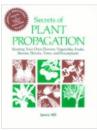


Recipes from the Root Cellar

Late harvest vegetables from your garden are the treasures in every gardeners winter kitchen. Robust hearty greens,

sweet winter squashes, jewel toned root vegetables, and potatoes of every variety bring satisfying flavors and an impressive array of nutritional benefits to the dining table. Grab them from your well tended root cellar or buy them at your local market; just be sure to use these 270 recipes to make cold weather vegetables a delicious part of your winter diet.

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Secrets of Plant Propagation

Learn the techniques of successful plant propogation and avoid mistakes and disappointments with expert advice from Lewis Hill. Grow beautiful,

bountiful, healthy plants - and save money in the process!

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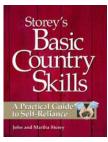


What's Wrong With My Vegetable Garden?

More and more home gardeners are discovering the rewards of growing their own vegeta-

bles. But along with the pleasures of homegrown produce come a host of problems: bugs, diseases, and mysterious ailments that don't have an obvious cause. What's a gardener to do? Paperback 249 pages

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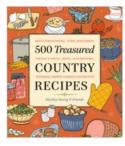


Storey's Basic Country Skills

Storey's Basic Country Skills is the book for anyone who wants to become more self-reliant, from suburbanites with ¼ of an acre to country homesteaders with several. The information is

easily understood and readily applicable. More than 150 of Storey's expert authors in gardening, building, animal raising, and homesteading share their specialized knowledge and experience in this ultimate guide to living a more independent, satisfying life. Whether it's making ice cream or sharpening an ax, cleaning a chimney or growing raspberries, you'll learn how to do it in this treasury of time-honored country wisdom.

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500 Treasured Country Recipes

Bring farmhouse cooking to your kitchen with this heirloom cookbook, featuring more than 500 recipes for mouth watering country classics. Apple pie, roast chicken,

blueberry pancakes, strawberry shortcake, sourdough bread, hand-churned ice cream - these are the comforting family favorites that never go out of style. You'll find the right recipe for every occasion, plus simple instructions for old-fashioned arts - in no time you'll be making your own cheese, yogurt, pickles, cider, cordials, maple syrup, and much more. Paperback 544 pages

Item No. BKTCR

Vegetable Gardener's
Container BIBLE

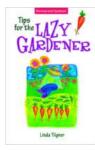
Vegetable Gardener's Container Bible, The



By growing heirloom garden vegetables in containers, even novice heirloom gardeners can reap a bounty of organic vegetables in very small spaces.

Anyone can harvest heirloom tomatoes on a patio, produce a heirloom pumpkin in a planter, or grow heirloom broccoli on a balcony - it's easy!

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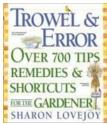


Tips for the Lazy Gardener

In this delightful but ohso-practical book, Linda Tilgner offers hundreds of timesaving tips and routines to produce better vegetables and herbs with less work and more pleasure. You'll find

ideas and instructions for planning vegetable gardens, building soil, sowing and transplanting, beating weeds and pests, and harvesting - all designed to reduce maintenance and make vegetable gardening more leisurely and enjoyable.

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Trowel & Error

Cure plant viruses with spoiled milk. Make a natural and effective insecticide out of fresh basil. Place flat stones under squash or melons to hasten ripening. Recy-

cle an old apple corer as the perfect dibler for muscari and other small bulbs. Start rosemary cuttings in a green glass bottle. Sprinkle baby powder over seedlings to discourage rabbits. Crush a garlic clove and apply it to your skin as an insect repellent. Trowel and Error is a direct line to the kind of practical wisdom that comes only after a lifetime of experience. The book is indexed by problem, plant, pest, and solution, and includes a list of tools and common household items--borax, cornmeal, vinegar--that completes the vegetable gardener's arsenal. Paperback 336 pages



Item No. BkTaE

Vegetable Growers Handbook, The

This highly practical book contains all the information you need to successfully grow more than 50 common vegetables. There are specific step-by-step instructions

for each crop: soil requirements, variety selection, raising transplants, direct sowing, protection, harvesting, seed saving, and storage. After telling you what to do (and when), the Handbook also tells you why, by explaining in detail how crops grow.

Item No. BkVGH



Tomato

Nothing tastes better than ripe, juicy, sunwarmed, summerfresh tomatoes! Discover new ways to enjoy them with this delicious collection of 150 tempting recipes for appetizers, pre-

serves, soups, salads, entrees, and even desserts. Includes contributions from celebrity chefs Alice Waters, Deborah Madison, Daniel Boulud, Rick Bayless, Melissa Kelly, and many others, and eight pages of mouthwatering full-color photography by Sabra Krock. Paperback 278 pages

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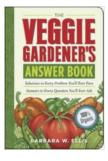


Vegetable Gardener's Bible, The

Ed Smith is back with a thoroughly revised and updated 10th Anniversary Edition, including coverage of 15 additional garden vegetables; an expanded section on salad

greens; more attention to European and Asian garden vegetables; growing information on more fruits and herbs; new cultivar photographs; a much-requested section on extending the garden growing season into the winter months; and more. No vegetables are healthier, fresher, less expensive, or more local than the ones you grow in your own back yard. *The Vegetable Gardener's Bible* will show you how.

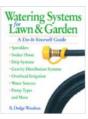
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Veggie Gardener's Answer Book, The

Solutions to Every Problem You'll Ever Face; Answers to Every Question You'll Ever Ask. Do you ever wish you had a master gardener right next door? Now you do, with this little reference that delivers big vegeta-

ble truths to all your questions. Flexibind 432 pages Item No. BkVGAB



Watering Systems for Lawn & Garden

Does your landscape just dry up sometimes? Do you spend hours

watering your lawn and garden? If so, then you need this book! Paperback 144 pages Item No. BkWSLG



Weather-Resilient Garden, The

When you're tucking seedlings into the soil, thoughts of weather events, such as floods and droughts, hail and ice, damaging winds, and in some areas, even fire, are often far from your mind.

But naturalist Charles W. G. Smith thinks that it pays off to make them part of your plan. Paperback 416 pages
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What's Wrong With My Plant

Dealing with a sick vegetable garden plant is one of the most frustrating situations a gardener can face. More often than not, we have no idea what is causing the problem, or how to fix it. Fortunately, help is at hand. *What's*

Wrong With My Plant? (And How Do I Fix It?) provides an easy system for visually diagnosing any problem, and matching it to the right cure. This innovative and easy-to-use guide is split into three parts. Item No. BkWWMP

Worm Castings



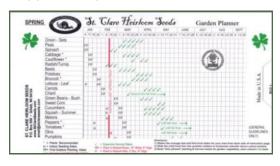
Earthworms are tiny miracle workers, breaking up organic matter and converting it into useful nutrients for your soil. Worm castings are one of the most organic soil enrichments available and are 100% natural, easy to use and safe to handle. In soil, worm castings retain water and release nutrients in a form that is easily used by garden plants. The pH is neutral and therefore suitable for most types of vegetable plants from asparagus to zucchini.

One of the best features of worm castings is you can use as much as you want without the fear of burning tender young plants as other fertilizers are known to do. Unlike other animal manure and artificial fertilizers it is absorbed very easily and almost instantaneously by plants. The amazing thing is, that while the nutrients are easily available they are at the same time naturally endowed with a slow release feature, causing the nutrient benefits to last up to 2 months! This benefit is put in place during the digestion process of the earthworm. As the organic matter passes through the alimentary canal of the worm, a thin layer of oil coats the material, later

eroding over a period of 2 months. The best of both worlds, immediate and long-lasting benefits! Ordinary composts do not have this benefit, they are placed in the garden to enrich the soil and plants, the available nutrients are quickly leached into the soil as soon as rainfall occurs or irrigation systems are turned on. Vermicompost provides a time-released benefit, slowly nurturing the plants over a greater length of time!

Garden Planner

This Garden Planner is a handy, easy-to-use, planning tool for the home and hobby gardener. The chart shows proper **indoor** and **outdoor** planting times relative to average **spring** and **fall** killing frost dates for (22) common garden vegetables, and provides basic planting data. The frost date adjusts, making Clyde's planner useful in most parts of the country, where frost is a critical gardening factor. The "**Time Phased**" format allows the gardener to visualize the sequence of events for planting and harvest activities. Seeding info provided on the slide makes the chart a great shopping aid, and useful planting guide at the garden site. **Item No.** CGPla



Seed Saving Envelopes

These envelopes are the perfect size for saving your heirloom / open-pollinated garden seeds in for the next year. We have both blank and printed ones and they measure $3-1/4 \times 4-5/8$ inches. The blank seed saving envelopes do not have a glue strip on the flap so you will need to use some kind of glue or tape to seal the envelope.



Item No. EnvB

10 Blank Seed Saving Envelopes



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10 Printed Seed Saving Envelopes

Ordering

We only ship Seeds within the United States, U.S. Territories, or U.S. Minor Outlying Islands.

We do not accept orders by mail, all ordering must be done online. This catalog is for reference only and subject to change without notice.

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USPS 1st Class Mail - \$5.00 USPS Priority Mail - \$10.00 UPS Ground - \$11.00 *Note: We ship all seed orders USPS 1st class mail and books are shipped separately by media mail. If you place an order with seeds and books the shipping is still **just \$5.00** for the entire order, the items are just shipped separately. This really helps to keep our shipping rates low, passing on the savings to you our valued customers.

Worm Castings

The shipping costs for the Worm Castings are included in the price of each size box and they are shipped Priority mail. We looked at various ways to ship our worm castings and keep the cost low on the customer's end and this was the cheapest. We are confident that you will still find our prices to be a great deal if you look around; that is our aim to give you great prices, quality products, and the best in service!

Contact Us

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